

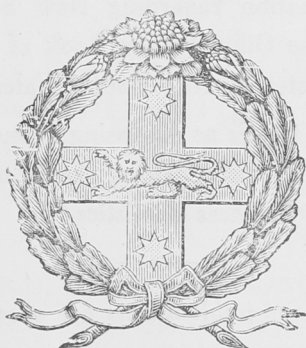
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Statistical Bulletin—Dec. Quarter, 1937.

No. 1—Population of New South Wales and Elements of Increase.

Quarter.	Estimated Population at end of Quarter.			Natural Increase (Excess of Births over Deaths).	Increase in Population during Quarter by Migration (Excess of Arrivals over Departures).				Increase by Migration.
					Interstate.			Oversea.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.		By Land and Air.	§By Sea.	Total.		
1935.									
March ...	1,337,465	1,303,632	2,641,097	5,650	371	544	915	(-) 1,671	(-) 756
June ...	1,338,897	1,305,863	2,644,760	5,116	103	(-) 743	(-) 640	(-) 813	(-) 1,453
September ...	1,340,730	1,309,050	2,649,780	3,724	(-) 185	660	475	821	1,296
December ...	1,344,339	1,313,327	2,657,666	5,639	439	(-) 212	227	2,020	2,247
Year	20,129	728	249	977	357	1,334
1936.									
March ...	1,346,952	1,316,408	2,663,360	5,963	(-) 147	625	478	(-) 747	(-) 269
June ...	1,347,553	1,317,934	2,665,487	4,649	(-) 806	(-) 944	(-) 1,750	(-) 772	(-) 2,522
September ...	1,350,836	1,321,727	2,672,563	5,302	803	373	1,176	598	1,774
December ...	1,355,493	1,326,243	2,681,736	5,903	2,035	44	2,079	1,191	3,270
Year	21,817	1,885	98	1,983	270	2,253
1937.									
March ...	1,358,945	1,330,277	2,689,222	6,069	(-) 169	2,100	1,931	(-) 514	1,417
June ...	1,360,058	1,332,601	2,692,659	5,559	(-) 647	(-) 751	(-) 1,398	(-) 724	(-) 2,132
September ...	1,363,628	1,336,740	2,700,368	4,947	1,065	783	1,848	914	2,762

(-) Denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

§ Including adjustments for Cruise Passengers.

Mean Population—

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Year ended 31st December, 1936 ...	1,348,841	1,318,998	2,667,839
Year ended 30th June, 1937 ...	1,354,810	1,325,920	2,680,730

No. 2.—Net Migration to and from New South Wales.

Excess of arrivals over departures.

(-) Denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

Country.	Total 1935.	1936.			1937.		
		September Quarter.	December Quarter.	Total, 1936.	March Quarter.	June Quarter.	September Quarter.
Interstate—							
Victoria ...	2,748	421	2	2,640	949	1,832	718
Queensland ...	(-) 2,687	(-) 99	2,926	(-) 1,577	(-) 993	(-) 3,444	294
South Australia ...	623	110	(-) 49	444	941	80	28
Western Australia ...	(-) 49	132	2	96	312	(-) 118	52
Tasmania ...	(-) 886	200	(-) 1,429	(-) 1,106	258	258	237
Northern Territory ...	(-) 46	3	33	(-) 28	6	(-) 51	(-) 42
Federal Territory ...	(-) 17	(-) 95	67	(-) 335	(-) 230	(-) 105	(-) 47
By air ...	186	116	226	313	191	(-) 56	198
Adjustment ...	1,105	388	301	1,536	497	206	410
Total, Interstate ...	977	1,176	2,079	1,983	1,931	(-) 1,398	1,848
Oversea—							
United Kingdom ...	(-) 1,473	119	1,367	(-) 1,297	(-) 1,614	(-) 1,478	349
Canada ...	139	59	401	308	7	(-) 212	252
Territory of New Guinea ...	(-) 5	7	97	65	(-) 6	(-) 45	(-) 31
Fiji ...	(-) 106	(-) 6	131	(-) 67	104	(-) 154	(-) 27
Hong Kong ...	51	112	75	2	(-) 104	(-) 15	190
India and Ceylon ...	167	(-) 5	(-) 2	196	101	85	47
New Zealand ...	1,244	(-) 114	(-) 1,749	607	973	1,773	(-) 729
Other British Possessions ...	(-) 780	(-) 57	(-) 146	(-) 694	(-) 101	(-) 377	(-) 14
Egypt ...	179	53	114	282	231	76	152
France ...	(-) 85	52	106	84	41	14	94
Italy ...	452	55	142	396	186	67	236
Japan ...	(-) 111	1	42	(-) 117	(-) 101	(-) 111	63
South Sea Islands ...	70	51	60	150	(-) 1	(-) 7	(-) 64
United States of America ...	521	119	467	228	(-) 139	(-) 257	279
Other Countries ...	94	152	86	127	(-) 91	(-) 83	117
Total, Oversea ...	357	598	1,191	270	(-) 514	(-) 724	914
Net Migration ...	1,334	1,774	3,270	2,253	1,417	(-) 2,122	2,762

No. 3.—Nationality of Oversea Migrants to and from New South Wales—
1936 and 1937.

Nationality or Race.	During Year 1936.		During January–September, 1937.					
	Total Arrivals.	Total Departures.	Arrivals.			Departures.		
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
British	32,780	33,351	13,000	14,141	27,141	13,796	14,993	28,789
Danish	45	36	18	14	32	16	11	27
Dutch	153	114	85	44	129	72	32	104
French	574	546	173	211	384	215	247	462
German	287	228	229	125	354	143	78	221
Greek	272	102	324	77	401	59	25	84
Italian	551	268	327	252	579	156	57	213
Maltese (British) ...	28	18	21	6	27	6	7	13
Norwegian	37	22	9	2	11	12	3	15
Russian	64	54	51	31	82	37	28	65
Swedish	38	46	19	6	25	19	2	21
Swiss	75	69	26	20	46	19	11	30
United States of America.	1,265	1,226	596	607	1,203	539	496	1,035
Yugoslav	144	115	120	48	168	82	33	115
Other European	302	237	315	131	446	132	57	189
Chinese	1,272	1,274	825	107	932	863	95	958
Indian	392	281	298	43	341	264	51	315
Japanese	205	219	142	35	177	156	46	202
Syrian	26	11	23	7	30	10	5	15
Other Non-European ...	109	132	51	22	73	18	14	32
Total	38,619	38,349	16,652	15,929	32,581	16,614	16,291	32,905

No. 4.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—New South Wales—1926–37.

Year.	Estimated Population at End of Year.†	Births.*	* Deaths.		* Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.*	Under one year.*		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	
1926	2,376,678	53,126	22,188	3,060	19,219	22·64	9·45	8·19	57·6
1927	2,433,655	53,858	22,770	2,960	20,052	22·40	9·47	8·34	55·0
1928	2,483,129	54,800	22,694	3,004	20,076	22·27	9·22	8·16	54·8
1929	2,519,693	52,672	24,615	2,983	19,535	21·04	9·83	7·80	56·6
1930	2,546,353	52,136	21,252	2,597	17,383	20·59	8·39	6·86	49·8
1931	2,566,314	47,724	21,284	2,077	15,377	18·67	8·33	6·02	43·5
1932	2,591,731	44,905	21,357	1,844	17,362	17·41	8·28	6·73	41·1
1933	2,613,519	44,195	22,322	1,739	18,399	16·98	8·58	7·07	39·3
1934	2,636,203	43,335	23,474	2,009	20,210	16·52	8·95	7·70	40·4
1935	2,657,666	44,676	24,547	1,762	22,361	16·80	9·28	8·45	39·4
1936	2,681,736	46,193	24,376	2,008	22,873	17·31	9·14	8·57	43·3
Jan.–Sept., 1936	34,461	18,547	1,502	16,685	17·24	9·28	8·35	43·7
Jan.–Sept., 1937	35,757	19,182	1,467	16,691	17·71	9·50	8·26	41·2

* Including aboriginals to 31st December, 1932. They are omitted from 1st January, 1933.
† Adjusted on basis of Census, 1933. Aboriginals are excluded.

No. 5.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—Metropolis—1929–37.

Year.	Estimated Population at End of Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	
1929	1,176,900	22,347	12,469	1,263	11,488	19·92	11·12	10·24	56·5
1930	1,190,590	21,927	10,854	1,095	9,859	18·52	9·17	8·33	49·9
1931	1,200,830	19,080	10,901	846	8,258	15·96	9·12	6·91	44·3
1932	1,213,880	17,583	10,800	686	9,425	14·56	9·02	7·81	39·3
1933†	1,240,520	17,083	11,580	629	9,995	13·83	9·37	8·09	36·8
1934	1,249,040	16,538	11,847	731	11,148	13·30	9·53	8·97	44·2
1935	1,254,780	16,907	12,552	602	12,377	13·52	10·04	9·90	35·6
1936	1,267,350	17,759	12,435	741	12,784	14·11	9·88	10·15	41·7
Jan.–Sept., 1936	13,246	9,506	549	9,188	14·08	10·10	9·76	41·5
Jan.–Sept., 1937	13,612	10,073	552	9,356	14·31	10·59	9·84	40·6

† From 1st January, 1933, the Metropolis was extended by the inclusion of the Municipalities of Dundas, Ermington and Rydalmere, and the Pitt and Merrylands Wards of Holroyd Municipality.
See also notes under Table 4.

No. 6.—Shires—Population at 31st December, 1936.

NOTE.—For population of municipalities, see Tables 36 and 37.

Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1936.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1936.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1936.
Cumberland—		Central Tableland—		S.W. Slope— <i>contd.</i>	
Baulkham Hills ...	8,380	Abercrombie ...	4,370	Jindalee ...	2,570
Blacktown ...	14,370	Blaxland ...	8,550	Kyeamba ...	4,620
Hornsby ...	23,530	Blue Mountains ...	7,000	Mitchell ...	4,200
Nepean ...	3,500	Canobolas ...	9,070	Murrungal ...	2,580
Sutherland ...	14,660	Colo ...	5,410	Narraburra ...	4,330
Warringah ...	17,070	Coolah ...	2,210	Tumbarumba ...	3,000
Total ...	81,510	Crookwell ...	6,520	Tumut ...	7,940
North Coast—		Cudgegong ...	5,760	Weddin ...	4,040
Bellingen ...	6,200	Lyndhurst ...	7,420	Total ...	71,500
Byron ...	8,040	Macquarie ...	4,620		
Copmanhurst ...	3,500	Merriwa ...	3,180	North-Central Plain—	
Dorrigo ...	11,100	Oberon ...	3,080	Boolooroo ...	3,550
Gundurimba ...	4,700	Rylstone ...	5,770	Boomi ...	3,220
Harwood ...	4,610	Turon ...	4,500	Coonabarabran ...	6,980
Kyogle ...	12,320	Waugoola ...	6,000	Namoi ...	8,150
Macleay ...	8,950	Wyaldra ...	2,420	Total ...	21,900
Nambucca ...	7,800	Total ...	85,880		
Nymboida ...	2,850			Central Plain—	
Orara ...	2,210	Southern Tableland—		Bogan ...	1,950
Terania ...	7,840	Bibbenluke ...	2,920	Lachlan ...	8,330
Tintenbar ...	5,350	Dalgety ...	3,640	Marthaguy ...	2,150
Tomki ...	4,050	Goodradigbee ...	3,570	Walgett ...	3,700
Tweed ...	13,900	Gunning ...	3,220	Wingadee ...	3,510
Woodburn ...	4,540	Monaro ...	2,620	Total ...	19,640
Total ...	107,960	Mulwaree ...	7,240		
Hunter and Manning		Yarrowlumla ...	2,140	Riverina—	
Bolwarra ...	3,660	Total ...	25,350	Berrigan ...	4,680
Erina (1) ...	14,060			Carrathool ...	5,880
Gloucester ...	4,560	North-Western Slope		Conargo ...	1,200
Hastings ...	9,540	Ashford ...	4,070	Coolamon ...	7,200
Kearsley ...	27,740	Bannockburn ...	3,440	Coreen ...	3,430
Lake Macquarie ...	31,200	Barraba ...	2,090	Culcairn ...	5,530
Manning ...	14,300	Cockburn ...	5,090	Jerilderie ...	1,830
Muswellbrook ...	4,150	Gwydir ...	1,850	Lockhart ...	5,640
Patrick Plains ...	6,670	Liverpool Plains ...	5,410	Murray ...	3,200
Port Stephens ...	4,270	Mandowah ...	2,000	Murrumbidgee ...	840
Stroud ...	6,670	Nundle ...	1,840	Urana ...	3,320
Tarro ...	9,920	Peel ...	6,630	Wade ...	9,120
Upper Hunter ...	4,840	Tamarang ...	3,040	Wakool ...	4,420
Wallerobba ...	5,210	Warrah ...	2,240	Waradgery ...	1,110
Woy Woy ...	2,680	Yallaroi ...	4,450	Willimbong ...	8,220
Total ...	149,470	Total ...	42,150	Windouran ...	820
South Coast—				Yanko ...	5,370
Bulli ...	15,360	Central-Western		Total ...	71,810
Cambewarra ...	1,170	Slope—			
Clyde ...	1,880	Amaroo ...	2,840	Total, Shires ...	813,470
Eurobodalla ...	5,390	Boree ...	7,030		
Illawarra Central	9,940	Cobbora ...	5,380	Summary—	
Imlay ...	4,870	Gilgandra ...	5,470	Shires ...	813,470
Mumbulla ...	4,720	Goobang ...	6,890	Municipalities ...	1,843,960
Nattai ...	3,770	Jemalong ...	4,500	Unincorporated	
Tallaganda (2) ...	3,600	Talbragar ...	4,020	Area in Western	
Wingecarribee ...	6,800	Timbregongie ...	4,470	Division ...	19,080
Wollondilly ...	6,520	Total ...	40,600	Lord Howe Island	164
Total ...	64,020			Migratory	
Northern Tableland—		South-Western Slope		(Shipping and	
Apsley ...	3,030	Bland ...	12,580	Railway	
Dumaresq ...	4,370	Burrangong ...	6,030	Travellers) ...	5,062
Gostwyck ...	4,250	Demondrille ...	3,290		
Guyra ...	6,660	Gundagai ...	5,420	Total, State of New	
Macintyre ...	1,650	Holbrook ...	2,700	South Wales ...	2,681,736
Severn ...	6,320	Hume ...	5,300		
Tenterfield ...	5,400	Illabo ...	2,900		
Total ...	31,680				

(1) Portion of Erina Shire was constituted as the Municipality of Gosford from 24th October, 1936.

(2) Including former Municipality of Braidwood, united with the Shire as from 17th September, 1936.

No. 7.—Marriages—Quarterly, 1932 to 1937.

Year.	Quarter ended—				Year.
	March.	June.	September.	December.	
Metropolis—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1932	2,253	2,440	2,187	2,545	9,425
1933	2,421	2,703	2,122	2,749	9,995
1934	2,568	2,919	2,431	3,230	11,148
1935	2,878	3,217	2,778	3,504	12,377
1936	3,048	3,364	2,776	3,596	12,784
1937	3,199	3,281	2,876	3,808	13,164
Remainder of State—					
1932	1,997	1,979	1,991	1,970	7,937
1933	2,218	2,202	1,883	2,101	8,404
1934	2,105	2,533	2,003	2,421	9,062
1935	2,498	2,668	2,192	2,626	9,984
1936	2,445	2,654	2,398	2,592	10,089
1937	2,341	2,658	2,336	2,689	10,024

No. 8.—Sales Tax.—Particulars of Sales and Collections in New South Wales, 1931-37.

Month.	Amount of Sales by Registered Wholesalers (Taxable and Non-taxable).						Tax Collected.*					
	1932-3.	1933-4.	1934-5.	1935-6.	1936-7.	1937-8.	1932-3.	1933-4.	1934-5.	1935-6.	1936-7.	1937-8.
July	£000. 10,091	£000. 10,329	£000. 11,460	£000. 12,152	£000. 14,169	£000. 16,552	£000. 286	£000. 279	£000. 263	£000. 271	£000. 330	£000. 270
August	10,216	11,233	11,400	13,544	13,130	16,268	304	306	264	314	315	277
September	11,101	11,512	12,250	12,841	13,773	16,281	316	341	299	312	301	290
October	11,129	11,305	12,466	14,701	15,098	16,473	312	317	297	341	272	298
November	11,052	11,417	11,986	13,201	14,516	17,351	312	271	275	325	247	309
December	11,767	11,807	12,688	13,982	13,976	17,167	313	285	285	324	245	298
January	9,522	9,871	10,847	11,266	13,740		246	214	233	250	253	
February	9,984	10,366	10,818	12,722	14,644		273	233	250	281	247	
March	10,926	10,922	12,387	13,114	15,426		290	263	283	302	267	
April	10,673	11,253	12,001	13,449	16,446		291	263	289	310	272	
May	11,371	11,640	13,143	13,436	16,503		313	285	299	315	264	
June	10,626	10,907	11,599	13,215	14,978		280	245	261	298	241	
Total	128,458	132,562	143,045	157,623	176,399		3,536	3,302	3,298	3,643	3,254	

NOTE.—Wholesalers trading only in exempt goods do not supply returns. Considerable numbers of commodities were exempt from tax in July, 1931, September, 1932, October, 1933, August, 1934, October, 1935, and September, 1936. Consequently the proportion of wholesale trade covered by the records has been progressively reduced.

The amount of sales for individual months includes some sales effected in previous months.

* Tax collected mainly upon sales in the month shown, but actually received in the following month. The rate of tax was 24% from 1st August, 1930, 6% from 11th July, 1931, 5% from 26th October, 1933, and and 4% from 11th September, 1936.

No. 9.—Direct Oversea Trade (Merchandise) of New South Wales by Countries.

Country.	Imports (Country of Origin). (Value in British Currency.)			Exports (Value in Australian Currency).		
	1934-35.*	1935-36.*	1936-37.*	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.
	£STG.	£STG.	£STG.	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	12,557,124	13,165,044	15,709,751	13,605,420	15,091,715	18,439,287*
Canada	1,632,229	2,192,466	2,753,414	506,172	568,253	830,138
Fiji	49,502	74,911	104,165	348,478	457,816	499,235
Hong Kong	17,195	16,195	22,016	342,104	272,594	279,208
India and Ceylon	1,513,981	1,662,376	1,986,413	201,429	151,039	196,847
Irish Free State	1,789	1,318	1,239	277,931	480,867	720,075
Malaya	250,346	267,077	382,706	345,003	350,508	520,200
New Zealand	613,854	655,048	566,727	2,273,377	2,727,521	3,644,263
Union of South Africa	89,794	101,404	143,673	110,591	126,072	134,483
Other Oversea British	460,987	559,858	743,363	853,957	1,033,331	1,219,188
Total, British	17,187,181	18,755,527	22,413,467	18,864,462	21,259,716	26,489,014*
Belgium	225,016	261,039	382,700	2,567,275	3,329,871	3,736,337
China	194,535	394,546	396,958	780,858	690,049	213,420
Czechoslovakia	178,365	185,384	201,362	49,179	281,659	592,293
France	414,194	392,169	437,978	2,096,138	2,722,666	3,408,528
Germany	953,137	1,264,055	1,587,567	722,530	1,015,973	2,006,072
Italy	210,896	141,299	147,432	469,041	413,888	2,388,776
Japan	2,117,485	2,220,439	1,752,259	4,746,945	6,928,664	4,194,480
Netherlands	260,327	302,856	461,947	568,917	483,703	680,144
Netherlands East Indies	1,854,917	1,981,341	2,382,312	406,999	397,582	446,583
New Caledonia	5,555	11,845	50,346	192,372	210,124	237,756
Norway	196,659	184,202	190,025	2,222	4,368	53,091
Philippine Islands	36,358	35,208	41,599	227,244	325,465	405,085
Russia	20,772	24,988	37,391	4	50	17,583
Sweden	336,174	356,081	462,501	62,012	54,783	93,220
Switzerland	199,833	245,333	256,365	152,805	82,825	115,263
United States of America	5,303,992	6,391,997	6,388,552	1,324,581	2,808,367	5,184,019
Other Foreign	703,091	804,624	865,115	1,583,140	1,532,885	1,520,320
Total, Foreign	13,211,216	15,197,406	15,982,409	15,961,262	21,282,922	25,292,970
Total, all Oversea Trade	31,161,937	34,737,279	39,259,647	34,825,724	42,542,638	51,781,984*
Bullion and Specie (Excluded above)	1,490,854	1,493,182	1,696,214	2,903,508	4,989,562	5,520,528

* Value of containers (£763,540 in 1934-35, £784,346 in 1935-36 and £863,771 in 1936-37) included in total—country of origin not recorded.

* Revised.

No. 10.—Direct Oversea Trade of New South Wales—Monthly.

Imports and Exports of Merchandise (excluding Bullion and Specie) in Australian and British Currency Values.

Month.	Imports.				Exports.			
	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.
<i>Australian Currency Values.</i>								
	£A 000.	£A 000.	£A 000.	£A 000.	£A 000.	£A 000.	£A 000.	£A 000.
July	2,856	3,497	4,331	5,162	1,298	1,995	1,738	2,518
August	3,731	3,794	4,023	5,011	1,700	2,090	1,873	2,326
September	3,362	3,517	3,801	5,253	2,193	3,171	3,502	4,006
Three months	9,949	10,808	12,155	15,426	5,191	7,256	7,113	8,850
October	3,394	3,817	4,113	5,205	3,780	4,366	4,659	4,341
November	3,217	3,533	4,134	5,545	3,713	5,243	5,501	4,568
December	2,911	3,401	3,808	5,079	3,316	4,794	6,331	4,687
Six months	19,471	21,619	24,210	31,255	16,000	21,659	23,604	22,446
January	3,534	4,153	4,293	3,107	3,838	3,982
February	2,762	3,253	3,347	3,933	5,170	6,408
March	3,963	3,799	4,286	2,706	5,253	5,459
Nine months	29,730	32,824	36,136	25,746	35,920	39,453
April	2,780	3,394	4,346	3,754	2,123	5,158
May	3,325	3,816	3,727	2,351	2,373	4,283
June	3,195	3,474	4,964	2,975	2,127	2,888
Twelve months	39,030	43,508	49,173	34,826	42,543	51,782
Bullion and Specie (ex- cluded above)	1,867	1,870	2,125	1,009*	2,904	4,989	5,521	3,346*

British Currency Values.

	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.
July	2,280	2,792	3,457	4,121	1,036	1,593	1,388	2,010
August	2,978	3,029	3,212	4,001	1,358	1,669	1,495	1,857
September	2,684	2,808	3,035	4,194	1,751	2,532	2,796	3,199
Three months	7,942	8,629	9,704	12,316	4,145	5,794	5,679	7,066
October	2,710	3,047	3,284	4,156	3,018	3,485	3,720	3,466
November	2,569	2,820	3,301	4,428	2,964	4,186	4,392	3,647
December	2,325	2,764	3,040	4,055	2,648	3,827	5,055	3,742
Six months	15,546	17,260	19,329	24,955	12,775	17,292	18,846	17,921
January	2,821	3,316	3,428	2,481	3,064	3,179
February	2,205	2,598	2,672	3,140	4,128	5,116
March	3,164	3,033	3,422	2,160	4,194	4,359
Nine months	23,736	26,207	28,851	20,556	28,678	31,500
April	2,220	2,710	3,470	2,997	1,695	4,118
May	2,655	3,047	2,976	1,877	1,895	3,419
June	2,551	2,773	3,963	2,375	1,698	2,306
Twelve months	31,162	34,737	39,260	27,805	33,966	41,343
Bullion and Specie (ex- cluded above)	1,491	1,493	1,696	806*	2,322	3,992	4,416	2,676*

The monthly figures are subject to revision. * Six months.

No. 11.—Principal Items Imported Oversea Direct into New South Wales.

Article Imported.	Six Months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1936.		1937.		1936.		1937.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£ stg.		£ stg.		£ stg.		£ stg.
Fish	240,895	...	239,510	...	160,973	...	153,728
Cocoa, Cocoa Beans, etc.	84,460	...	57,59	...	51,045	...	26,283
Coffee and Chicory lb.	871,356	18,413	1,109,108	25,983	351,594	7,568	454,071	7,628
Tea 1,000 lb.	12,699	720,538	13,805	764,934	5,317	366,949	6,967	392,238
Whisky gal.	161,644	174,137	167,908	183,100	72,961	77,757	81,634	88,599
Other Spirituous Liquors	40,795	...	40,624	...	20,861	...	23,599
Tobacco—								
Unmanufactured... 1,000 lb.	8,732	663,401	8,238	687,100	4,829	365,727	2,697	220,873
Other (including Cigarettes, etc.) lb.	342,633	41,679	402,969	49,690	151,591	19,349	241,613	30,740
Hides and Skins	101,371	...	144,585	...	43,529	...	61,245
Copra cwt.	168,762	111,596	213,509	131,995	88,962	63,360	104,082	57,904
Gums and Resins "	55,046	80,482	62,669	107,122	25,915	43,635	33,100	51,496
Apparel and Attire—								
Socks and Stockings	7,188	...	10,090	...	3,584	...	4,541
Boots and Shoes...	20,193	...	54,413	...	11,210	...	35,335
Gloves	56,724	...	65,602	...	16,128	...	22,888
Hats and Caps	34,069	...	49,866	...	15,421	...	22,255
Trimmings and Ornaments	65,565	...	75,543	...	26,084	...	34,494
Other	117,600	...	158,433	...	62,531	...	86,458
Total	301,339	...	413,947	...	134,958	...	205,971
Textiles—								
Floor Coverings	315,469	...	369,871	...	150,520	...	167,252
Piece Goods—								
Canvas and Duck	105,172	...	155,278	...	48,508	...	82,300
Cotton and Linen	896,454	...	1,297,110	...	421,163	...	628,373
Linen, n.e.i.	74,434	...	55,584	...	25,476	...	22,012
Hessians, etc.	105,736	...	107,308	...	60,752	...	66,377
Silk and Art. Silk	721,180	...	864,291	...	299,102	...	365,996
Velvet	45,652	...	47,478	...	26,882	...	28,114
Woollen	46,172	...	75,106	...	21,834	...	39,753
Other	181,368	...	165,051	...	63,043	...	94,201
Sewing Cottons, Threads, etc.	114,404	...	93,126	...	53,261	...	48,099
Towel and Towelling	90,648	...	108,560	...	47,432	...	58,653
Other Textile Goods	199,967	...	281,826	...	96,913	...	171,097
Total	2,896,656	...	3,620,589	...	1,314,886	...	1,772,227
Bags and Sacks—								
Corn and Flour doz.	991,630	232,301	859,607	207,273	809,272	186,608	552,059	133,643
Woolpack "	72,877	82,700	90,338	100,013	13,968	16,047	17,110	17,107
Other	32,302	...	22,285	...	17,875	...	12,839
Total	347,303	...	329,571	...	220,530	...	163,589
Yarns—								
Cotton	72,972	...	79,292	...	31,901	...	44,996
Artificial Silk	181,492	...	145,254	...	93,443	...	80,213
Other	15,789	...	16,783	...	6,679	...	10,362
Total	270,253	...	241,329	...	132,023	...	135,571
Oils—								
Kerosene 1,000 gals.	5,258	61,158	8,095	113,001	1,905	22,165	3,993	58,184
Petroleum—								
Crude 1,000 gal.	16,317	169,235	13,846	158,250	6,289	63,110	8,297	96,059
Spirit (including Petrol)	39,980	632,123	49,192	928,647	20,555	311,788	29,316	534,867
Lubricating (Mineral)	2,773	139,834	3,838	205,616	1,378	66,004	2,044	107,831
Residual	5,361	28,061	20,326	121,261	3,505	18,736	8,912	55,289
Total	1,030,411	...	1,526,775	...	481,803	...	852,230
Paints and Varnishes	151,292	...	184,841	...	69,110	...	92,828
Machinery—								
Electrical	883,266	...	1,296,995	...	430,816	...	717,801
Agricultural, etc.	54,101	...	67,064	...	20,651	...	20,221
Motive Power	384,649	...	625,020	...	233,180	...	329,110
Sheep Shearing	14,218	...	22,621	...	5,792	...	15,399
Sewing	69,860	...	111,446	...	40,020	...	64,489
Typewriters, Cash Registers, etc.	196,076	...	258,036	...	105,643	...	119,103
Yarn and Textile Making	105,220	...	40,222	...	70,026	...	19,108
Other	745,523	...	988,274	...	316,623	...	463,274
Total	2,452,913	...	3,409,684	...	1,222,751	...	1,748,505

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No. 11.—Principal Items Imported Oversea Direct into New South Wales—*contd.*

Article Imported.	Six months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1936.		1937.		1936.		1937.	
	Quantity	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£ stg.		£ stg.		£ stg.		£ stg.
Metals and Metal Manufactures—								
Iron and Steel—								
Plate and Sheet	414,835	...	589,800	...	211,611	...	357,899
Other	199,377	...	302,796	...	99,245	...	156,970
Pipes and Tubes	67,159	...	140,156	...	32,179	...	78,916
Plated Ware and Cutlery	135,454	...	159,325	...	66,243	...	81,025
Tools of Trade	174,597	...	231,541	...	91,069	...	118,712
Vehicles—								
Motor Bodies	32,770	...	28,899	...	17,560	...	20,350
Motor Chassis	710,932	...	1,442,835	...	423,504	...	659,319
Other and Parts	345,763	...	422,482	...	199,126	...	233,042
Other	901,677	...	844,425	...	327,948	...	457,619
Total	2,979,564	...	4,162,259	...	1,468,485	...	2,163,852
Rubber—								
Crude cwt.	73,874	288,092	116,600	514,052	23,066	95,709	43,178	178,793
Manufactures	70,021	...	96,477	...	36,591	...	48,147
Total	358,113	...	610,529	...	132,300	...	226,940
Timber—								
Logs, etc. 1,000 sup. ft.	53,327	133,049	97,315	334,295	29,597	70,013	70,593	225,913
Undressed, Other	34,845	178,794	50,640	301,090	18,654	99,332	30,567	162,401
Total	311,843	...	635,385	...	169,345	...	388,314
Crockery and Household Ware	120,505	...	132,903	...	61,384	...	69,992
Glass and Glassware	166,788	...	206,364	...	79,924	...	104,430
Total	287,293	...	339,267	...	141,308	...	174,422
Paper—								
Writing, etc. cwt.	80,792	117,682	106,774	177,778	38,169	55,645	55,583	94,421
Printing tons	58,672	627,403	44,176	588,834	33,870	354,473	24,841	320,695
Other	217,733	...	379,854	...	113,675	...	206,731
Books, Printed	235,855	...	258,152	...	119,515	...	134,103
Stationery and Paper Manufactures	217,632	...	265,319	...	105,990	...	139,652
Fancy Goods	137,114	...	170,230	...	62,171	...	73,910
Jewellery and Timepieces	198,276	...	235,502	...	84,230	...	124,260
Cinematograph Films	209,664	...	223,236	...	114,173	...	108,913
Drugs, Chemicals, etc.—								
Argol cwt.	46,874	73,503	58,297	121,363	35,065	55,904	36,312	79,495
Drugs and Medicines	138,803	...	163,102	...	69,988	...	80,323
Dyes lb.	395,425	43,412	908,921	64,780	205,650	22,862	295,139	28,753
Fertilizers cwt.	865,402	64,102	1,271,052	84,596	416,113	29,692	657,308	36,848
Other	493,070	...	602,634	...	270,551	...	293,354
All Other Articles	2,889,585	...	3,712,933	...	1,457,560	...	1,878,412
Grand Total Merchandise ... £ stg.	...	19,328,581	...	24,954,724	...	9,624,681	...	12,638,652
Bullion and Specie (excluded above)—								
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet, and Matte oz.	122,862	860,452	113,149	791,965	57,209	406,105	55,771	390,401
Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet and Matte oz.	78,104	7,559	89,284	9,086	38,123	3,808	40,577	4,053
Specie—Gold	63	63
Silver	14,151	...	4,800	...	2,991	...	2,354
Bronze	102	...	98	...	102	...	20
Total, Bullion and Specie, £ stg.	...	882,327	...	805,949	...	413,069	...	396,828

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No. 12.—Principal Items Exported Oversea Direct from New South Wales.

Article Exported.	Six Months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1936.		1937.		1936.		1937.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£ A.		£ A.		£ A.		£ A.
Butter 1,000 lb.	5,437	324,422	10,074	601,559	3,696	216,507	9,164	547,002
Cheese lb.	189,482	7,137	229,917	9,073	141,356	5,383	172,615	6,665
Eggs in Shell 1,000 doz.	5,413	320,591	4,358	266,232	3,004	179,627	1,854	108,208
Milk and Cream and Milk Foods		67,505		93,336		36,359		51,911
Biscuits lb.	1,064,834	31,810	1,403,209	39,922	545,291	18,194	614,672	19,122
Wheat cntl.	2,719,952	1,088,627	2,252,991	905,631	1,720,236	719,212	1,583,346	585,939
Flour, Wheaten "	1,817,511	843,145	1,852,275	987,699	957,096	486,898	943,604	489,495
Bran, Pollard and Sharps... .. "	72,343	31,483	57,935	32,657	11,107	5,785	31,424	17,438
Rice "	127,079	88,677	160,819	126,732	72,517	51,146	78,740	62,198
Fruit—								
Fresh—								
Apples cntl.	2,190	3,387	7,990	9,401	530	854	972	1,060
Citrus "	40,615	32,420	74,250	75,140	18,347	15,938	49,155	51,199
Other "	7,318	7,616	6,947	6,698	2,444	2,831	2,933	3,211
Peaches, Preserved in Liquid								
1,000 lb.	3,237	50,610	3,574	57,290	913	13,495	521	8,628
Other, Dried, Preserved, etc. ...		82,531		114,473		10,750		12,449
Oil Cake (including Linseed Cake) cntl.	29,378	8,085	8,867	3,009	11,203	3,560	1,196	454
Meats—								
Beef, Frozen and Chilled 1,000 lb.	4,249	60,776	7,345	112,327	2,310	32,114	3,008	48,658
Lamb, Frozen "	16,730	476,298	21,692	607,758	14,914	420,497	18,087	507,780
Mutton, Frozen "	7,779	128,370	7,275	127,970	6,776	111,170	4,390	80,314
Other, Frozen "	2,990	68,941	3,084	70,114	1,705	37,806	1,754	39,552
Tinned and Preserved "		45,105		91,820		19,488		45,268
Other (including Sausage casings)		63,675		90,813		46,248		66,347
Rabbits and Hares ... pair	211,804	20,885	159,874	14,503	24,708	2,320	11,937	882
Wool—								
Greasy { bale 607,004 } 12,308,861 { 502,083 } 9,424,372 { 493,351 } 10,266,826 { 387,400 } 7,071,649								
1,000 lb. 188,954								
Scoured { bale 52,921 } 1,149,138 { 152,271 } 1,079,880 { 151,625 } 699,234 { 115,681 }								
1,000 lb. 12,374								
Other { 44,916 } 270,633 { 10,562 } 269,355 { 7,623 } 140,361 { 4,895 }								
Hides and Skins—								
Rabbit and Hare 1,000 lb.	2,631	669,409	2,457	604,369	484	93,942	448	80,675
Sheep, with Wool ... No.	1,638,449	498,882	1,759,908	644,562	1,042,217	307,616	910,249	257,998
Cattle "	265,932	200,117	303,863	380,631	138,722	103,223	132,584	157,189
Other "		261,251		298,292		132,530		88,205
Leather "		233,003		240,643		115,418		115,337
Gelatine and Glue "		42,392		36,579		16,022		16,209
Tallow cwt.	104,791	118,922	107,511	139,959	30,037	36,774	47,095	57,318
Coal ton	180,131	160,287	180,533	163,321	87,786	75,315	80,044	73,748
Copper and Copper Manufactures...		103,285		19,588		39,725		16,877
Lead, Pig cwt.	448,799	531,054	742,975	944,901	224,962	292,875	416,913	490,448
Tin, Ingots "	5,416	62,086	6,250	95,992	4,012	44,813	2,007	28,045
Iron and Steel "		347,988		504,934		186,101		252,651
Timber, Undressed... 1,000 sup. ft.	15,112	207,162	16,150	229,308	7,853	106,024	8,048	113,817
All other Articles "		2,587,546		2,924,851		1,401,572		1,404,139
Total Merchandise ... £ A		23,604,112		22,445,694		16,491,553		13,595,670
Bullion and Specie (excluded above)—								
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet and Matte oz.	316,011	2,726,106	316,261	3,264,327	123,217	1,079,517	171,293	1,482,547
Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet and Matte oz.	92,855	9,210	68,188	8,093	36,974	3,373	54,787	5,639
Specie—Gold "		168,461		45,026		53,142		843
Silver "		14,588		27,710		4,902		4,090
Bronze "		200		393		68		20
Total, Bullion and Specie £ A		2,918,565		3,345,549		1,141,002		1,493,139

NOTE.—The foregoing table is a preliminary summary of principal items only. Detailed records are published annually in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales." Value represents the value in the principal markets of New South Wales and is in Australian currency.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Shipped at Sydney to and from Australian Ports.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by the Maritime Services Board of New South Wales.)

(excluding Transhipments.)

Article Imported.	Unit.	Year ended 30th June, 1936.		Year ended 30th June, 1937.		Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1937.	
		Interstate.	State.	Interstate.	State.	Interstate.	State.
Ale, Beer and Stout	40 cub. ft.	6,329	9	7,059	20	1,903	5
Bacon and Ham	tons	3,794	3,561	3,546	3,537	876	658
Boots, Shoes, etc.	40 cub. ft.	3,776	81	3,877	61	1,218	9
Butter	tons	1,907	23,854	1,035	20,519	1,456	3,236
Cement and Plaster	tons	22,093	977	24,676	948	6,131	167
Chaff	tons	18	1,184	2
Cheese	tons	1,316	2,319	1,548	2,220	385	417
Coal (Cargo)	tons	15	834,575	52	947,790	18	293,536
„ (Bunker)	tons	...	278,617	...	242,319	...	52,731
Confectionery	40 cub. ft.	8,667	93	9,450	108	2,506	27
Drapery	40 cub. ft.	24,143	788	25,666	744	7,340	254
Eggs (in Shell)	doz.	787,350	388,800	719,870	360,288	114,660	159,840
Egg Pulp	40 cub. ft.	941	...	877	...	196	...
Fish—Fresh and Frozen	tons	211	4,692	88	4,951	32	1,132
Oysters	bags	...	12,972	...	14,280	...	4,668
Flour	tons(2,240lb.)	2,160	23	2,094	25	554	3
Grain—Maize	tons	339	3,427	1,936	3,167	796	815
„ Oats	tons	828	...	898	...	1,702	8
„ Wheat	tons	10	...	36	...	16	...
Hay	tons	321	1,439	248	1,237	62	568
Hides and Skins	40 cub. ft.	10,278	3,789	10,960	3,800	3,694	1,100
Iron—Galvanised	tons	3	40	4	13	9	...
„ Pig	tons	...	1,160	1	1,642	...	576
Jams and Jellies	tons	3,888	6	3,953	5	930	...
Matches (including Materials)	40 cub. ft.	806	...	758	...	190	...
Milk and Cream, preserved	40 cub. ft.	8,569	2,156	9,233	1,959	2,867	242
Molasses and Syrup	tons	10,951	4,707	10,136	3,925	7,303	462
Onions	tons	8,679	138	8,049	26	1,671	...
Potatoes	tons	47,600	3,119	59,092	1,589	19,080	554
Soap	tons	3,879	13	3,925	337	1,188	...
Spirits—Brandy	40 cub. ft.	640	...	659	...	150	...
„ Gin	40 cub. ft.	986	2	965	...	452	...
„ Rum	40 cub. ft.	1,373	...	843	...	305	...
„ Whisky	40 cub. ft.	668	...	649	1	169	...
Sugar	tons	101,606	37,774	108,883	35,310	51,107	18,499
Tea	40 cub. ft.	465	14	380	9	87	2
Tobacco, Cigars, etc.	40 cub. ft.	6,319	12	7,549	5	2,346	...
Wines	40 cub. ft.	6,562	37	6,325	58	1,796	8
Animals—Horses	No.	206	81	171	79	45	14
„ Horned Cattle	No.	13	579	8	390	1	113
„ Calves	No.	...	156	2	126	...	40
„ Sheep	No.	869	...	210	82
„ Pigs	No.	7	20,199	...	23,231	...	4,636
Bananas	Cases = 1½ bus. or 84 lb.	5,611	237,832	16,245	120,989	8,657	12,816
Fruit, Fresh	cases	943,403	32,511	1,099,943	16,605	430,562	682
Timber—Rough and Sawed	super. ft.	20,184,574	31,091,514	22,329,333	33,790,538	6,682,400	7,128,892
Wool	bales	52,035	16,716	58,037	12,179	13,138	1,292
ARTICLE EXPORTED.							
Bran, Pollard and Sharps	tons	5,700	1,194	1,706	1,164	612	314
Butter	tons	727	45	364	26	46	...
Cement	tons	12,820	2,960	10,948	2,726	6,935	898
Coal (Cargo)	tons	...	27	5	75	468	44
„ (Bunker)	tons	60,469	66,956	50,945	64,085	13,774	19,302
Coke	tons	1,234	398	3,464	340	1,192	133
Eggs (in Shell)	doz.	15,120	2,160	43,200	432	1,296	...
Fertiliser	tons	1,320	404	1,614	325	815	83
Flour	tons(2,240lb.)	5,844	1,804	6,274	1,644	1,401	449
Grain—Wheat	tons	8,193	211	8,799	158	6,632	45
Hides	40 cub. ft.	2,619	16	2,623	74	867	24
Margarine	40 cub. ft.	3,877	500	4,429	437	1,451	151
Meat—Frozen	tons	160	18	327	8	80	1
„ Preserved	40 cub. ft.	563	51	774	40	141	11
Oil Cake	40 cub. ft.	6,262	117	6,612	142	475	7
Skins—Furred	40 cub. ft.	271	...	56	1	56	...
„ Sheep	40 cub. ft.	243	...	20	...	1	...
Tallow	40 cub. ft.	228	...	40	...	4	...
Tin—Ingots	tons	833	107	827	103	236	27
Animals—Horses	No.	435	85	373	30	83	5
„ Horned Cattle	No.	91	23	38	6	9	1
„ Calves	No.	10	14	...	1
„ Sheep	No.	685	1,842	3,600	970	233	745
„ Pigs	No.	...	26
Timber—Rough and Sawed	sup. ft.	3,140,833	2,956,051	4,084,798	2,608,770	669,480	549,929
Wool	bales	34,467	216	31,939	273	5,338	...

(Tons in all instances = 2,240 lb Forty cubic feet = 1 measurement ton.)

No. 14.—Shipping Entered—Port of Sydney.*(Compiled from Returns supplied by the Maritime Services Board of New South Wales.)*

Year ended 30th June.	Number of Vessels.					Net Tonnage.			
	Steam Coal Burners.	Steam Oil Burners.	Motor.	Sailing.		Steam Coal Burners.	Steam Oil Burners.	Motor.	Sailing.
1936	Oversea ...	695	336	406	4	2,475,759	2,494,315	1,805,822	205
	Interstate ..	916	96	133	1	1,415,205	236,195	549,410	117
	State ...	4,072	...	326	...	1,440,028	...	62,718	...
	Total ...	5,683	432	865	5	5,330,992	2,730,510	2,417,950	322
1937	Oversea ...	622	314	463	3	2,277,621	2,424,892	2,118,834	226
	Interstate ..	978	110	178	1	1,516,902	281,940	778,260	12
	State ...	4,257	...	369	...	1,531,491	...	63,217	...
	Total ...	5,857	424	1,010	4	5,326,014	2,706,832	2,960,311	238
Six Months ended 31st December, 1937	Oversea ...	328	143	243	2	1,215,531	1,209,453	1,117,262	18
	Interstate ..	492	52	126	1	797,869	128,661	460,656	3
	State ...	2,403	...	242	...	831,755	...	47,517	...
	Total ...	3,223	195	611	3	2,845,155	1,338,114	1,625,435	21

NOTE.—The figures for the arrivals of Oversea and Interstate vessels include those for vessels which returned to Sydney from Newcastle after proceeding there for bunker coal.

No. 15.—Shipping—Oversea and Interstate.—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at all Ports of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Tonnage of Cargo Discharged.						Tonnage of Cargo Shipped.					
	Overseas.		Interstate.		Total.		Overseas.		Interstate.		Total.	
	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M
Thousand tons.												
Sydney—												
1931	571	537	342	348	913	885	1,298	241	106	366	1,404	607
1932	545	458	376	327	921	785	1,311	239	102	393	1,413	632
1933	650	567	406	364	1,056	931	1,385	265	132	416	1,517	681
1934	657	708	406	459	1,063	1,167	798	261	132	488	930	749
1935	726	884	443	507	1,169	1,391	1,089	309	182	529	1,271	838
1936	841	972	479	599	1,320	1,571	1,166	284	191	595	1,357	879
1937	883	1,028	515	613	1,398	1,641	1,082	314	201	655	1,283	969
Total, N.S.W.—												
1931	662	539	846	348	1,508	887	1,656	253	1,661	370	3,317	623
1932	602	458	775	328	1,377	786	1,670	243	1,575	394	3,245	637
1933	760	567	1,171	364	1,931	931	1,686	271	1,878	418	3,564	689
1934	772	713	1,400	467	2,172	1,180	1,114	270	1,970	492	3,084	762
1935	859	912	2,030	523	2,889	1,435	1,477	341	2,225	542	3,702	883
1936	985	999	2,053	611	3,038	1,610	1,532	303	2,390	607	3,922	910
1937	1,069	1,061	2,459	629	3,528	1,690	1,520	339	2,733	674	4,253	1,013

W — Cargo recorded as dead weight tons. M — Measurement tons. Forty cubic feet = 1 measurement ton.

NOTE.—The total is a combination of weight and measurement tons, but these cannot be expressed in common terms.

No. 16.—State Railways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic at end of period.	Capital Cost as at end of period.	Total Earnings.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.*	Train Miles.	Excess of Earnings per train mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	£	No.	s d.	No.
1927	5,750	112,789,149	18,906,543	5,110,690	26,325,847	3 10½	141,615,806
1928	5,867	117,984,374	19,029,512	4,273,185	26,896,580	3 2	148,046,881
1929	5,940	124,329,422	19,615,616	4,037,566	27,382,124	3 4½	151,116,086
1930	5,974	126,318,236	17,826,692	2,864,269	26,713,951	2 1½	147,892,548
1931	6,044	132,565,362	15,205,741	2,363,408	25,493,940	1 10½	126,811,993
1932	6,125	139,667,319	15,001,022	2,490,993	25,848,580	1 11½	128,359,419
1933	6,164	140,796,968	15,405,320	3,438,672	25,562,220	2 8½	132,867,221
1934	6,164	140,933,321	14,890,186	3,686,666	25,173,199	2 11½	142,520,429
1935	6,164	141,726,912	16,002,699	4,437,041	26,275,459	3 4½	160,211,508
1936	6,124	143,843,072	16,953,581	5,105,511	27,701,005	3 8½	171,142,729
1937	6,124	145,257,282	17,816,496	5,461,174	28,547,207	3 10	177,837,265
Half-year ended 31st December, 1937.	6,124	9,788,547	3,374,981	15,024,045	4 6	93,616,234
Half-year ended 31st December, 1936.	6,124	8,890,020	2,993,753	14,281,877	4 2½	88,224,337
Quarter ended 31st December, 1937.	6,124	5,187,459	1,887,079	7,911,465	4 9½	47,501,861

* Interest on loan capital and Exchange are not included as working expenses.

No. 17.—State Tramways of New South Wales. §

Year ended 30th June.	Miles used for Traffic at end of period	Capital Cost as at end of period.	Total Earnings.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.*	Car Mileage.	Excess of Earnings per car mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1927	210	11,586,050	3,806,098	318,264	34,188,015	0 2½	347,231,141
1928	210	11,609,078	4,556,561	619,205	34,471,601	0 4½	346,013,775
1929	211	11,743,189	4,457,890	622,246	34,081,498	0 4½	333,476,049
1930	211	11,704,978	3,903,470	277,906	32,862,832	0 2	307,789,621
1931	200	†8,435,810	3,058,471	(-)-47,754	32,193,040	(-) 0 0½	266,346,801
1932	193	†8,336,200	3,305,222	258,690	35,914,272	0 1½	284,708,886†
1933	193	†8,357,582	3,266,847	485,976	36,860,522	0 3½	287,386,142†
1934	190	†8,565,978	3,237,942	704,604	36,375,517	0 4½	286,953,234†
1935	190	†9,093,293	3,321,774	712,827	35,996,418	0 4½	297,773,091†
1936	189	†9,005,789	3,388,580	703,928	35,378,336	0 4½	303,767,139†
1937	189	†9,046,640	3,423,205	713,779	35,200,152	0 4½	306,833,464†
Half-year ended 31st Dec., 1937.....	189	1,730,663	282,459	16,976,888	0 4	157,134,937†
Half-year ended 31st Dec., 1936...	189	1,692,248	360,383	17,616,961	0 5	152,565,345†
Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1937	189	890,326	141,829	8,227,977	0 4½	81,276,793†

* Sinking fund, interest on loan capital, exchange and depreciation are not included as working expenses.

† Subject to review. (-) Denotes excess of working expenses over earnings.

Bridge passengers, whose journey did not extend beyond the Bridge section.

† Exclusive of Sydney Harbour

of the operations of electric trolley buses, which commenced in January, 1934.

§ Including particulars

No. 18.—Motor Omnibus Services (Metropolitan Transport District)
(Including Omnibus Services Operated by Government).

Year ended 30th June	Value of Omnibuses, Plant and Equipment.	Total Revenue	Total Expenditure (including Depreciation)	Omnibus Mileage.	Passengers Carried.
	£	£	£		
1931	486,797	1,357,505	1,352,649	19,548,162	92,125,207
1932	211,447	624,102	668,117	10,988,878	43,544,551
1933	212,914	419,501	437,313	8,896,123	31,630,012
1934	185,490	540,226	530,760	10,993,937	39,075,930
1935	194,121	608,993	591,922	11,874,593	45,096,140
1936	252,334	703,028	665,196	13,121,316	51,276,609
1937	360,478	818,711	766,476	14,607,410	59,339,097
Quarter ended 31st Mar., 1937	Not available.	201,282	173,526	3,437,465	13,941,761
Do do 30th June, 1937	360,478	258,522	252,383	4,462,008	18,864,026
Do do 30th Sept., 1937	Not available.	207,718	205,852	3,703,927	15,467,938

Passengers carried in Omnibuses (Metropolis).

Quarter ended—	March.	June.	September.	December.
1933	8,085,679	8,724,580	8,526,252	9,356,375
1934	1,083,088	11,110,215	9,955,661	10,833,221
1935	11,563,865	12,743,393	11,003,389	12,347,113
1936	12,920,626	15,005,481	12,666,814	13,866,496
1937	13,941,761	18,864,026	15,467,938

No. 19.—Motor Vehicles on Register in New South Wales.†

At—	Cars.	Lorries and Vans.	Cycles.	Omnibuses.	Cabs.	Traders' Plates.	Total on Register.	Increase during Quarter preceding date shown.	
								Cars.	Lorries and Vans.
1930—June 30*	169,495	45,309	29,410	640	1,340	2,065	248,259	(-) 1,997	(-) 334
1931—June 30*	154,096	41,788	25,453	676	1,078	790	223,881	(-) 4,737	(-) 1,452
1932—June 30*	143,970	38,618	22,741	362	1,070	417	207,178	(-) 779	(-) 80
1933—June 30	148,127	43,361	22,653	415	1,066	435	216,057	11	693
1934—June 30	155,063	48,601	22,571	456	1,051	582	228,324	899	1,142
1935—June 30...	164,483	54,919	22,777	503	1,055	691	244,428	1,367	1,218
1936—June 30	177,289	62,149	23,048	528	1,113	851	264,978	2,393	1,682
September 30	179,159	64,244	23,061	546	1,139	875	269,024	1,870	2,095
December 31	183,406	67,257	23,418	567	1,155	909	276,712	4,247	3,013
1937—March 31	186,647	68,467	23,486	592	1,159	939	281,290	3,241	1,210
June 30	189,794	70,341	23,439	594	1,169	1,005	286,342	3,147	1,874
September 30	193,010	72,676	23,612	635	1,179	1,051	292,163	3,216	2,335
October 31	194,346	73,603	23,725	635	1,182	1,063	294,554		
November 30	196,115	74,804	23,862	650	1,190	1,066	297,687	5,915	3,465
December 31	198,925	76,141	24,409	672	1,194	1,075	302,056		

* Excluding Government vehicles.

† Including Government vehicles from 31st July, 1932, when there were 1,680 Government vehicles (except omnibuses) registered. (-) Denotes a decrease.

**No. 20.—New South Wales—Average Rainfall in Districts.—Principal Sheep Districts
(Principal Wheat Divisions are marked "A.")**

Division of Hinterland.		Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal=100).					
		1937.						1937.					
		July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Tablelands—		ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.						
North ...	W ...	1.15	2.44	1.23	2.84	3.09	3.53	53	127	59	108	99	95
	E ...	0.45	2.96	0.18	4.14	6.54	6.32	23	224	10	163	196	151
Central ...	N A	0.54	3.21	1.65	1.21	2.65	1.63	27	165	82	55	119	59
	S A	0.82	2.88	2.20	2.54	4.19	3.07	28	117	91	102	162	98
Southern	0.69	2.45	2.84	2.31	1.78	3.59	32	138	142	111	95	154
Western Slopes—													
North ...	N A	1.29	1.16	1.13	1.45	4.38	2.08	70	78	71	71	178	68
	S A	1.79	2.28	1.90	2.00	2.94	2.55	97	121	55	98	116	82
Central ...	N A	0.80	1.85	0.81	1.23	3.48	1.06	34	104	45	75	167	38
	S A	0.24	3.07	1.34	1.65	1.74	0.95	13	159	73	92	100	44
South ...	N A	0.47	2.09	2.84	2.36	0.87	1.51	22	101	147	122	54	79
	S ...	1.19	2.94	4.05	3.07	1.00	2.38	38	95	152	110	51	113
Plains—													
North ...	W ...	0.64	0.50	0.64	0.97	3.71	0.37	46	45	62	75	217	15
	E A	1.10	0.75	0.88	1.70	4.24	1.39	64	55	63	107	201	51
Central ...	S A	0.18	1.89	0.66	1.03	0.72	0.98	12	131	49	80	55	53
	N ...	0.29	1.36	0.49	0.75	1.43	0.28	21	103	42	65	93	15
Riverina ...	E A	0.53	1.91	1.25	2.45	0.47	1.15	32	109	77	148	38	91
	W A	0.25	1.42	0.34	0.87	0.31	0.72	21	113	26	76	30	69
Western Division—													
Eastern ...	N ...	0.15	0.75	0.37	0.18	0.28	0.32	17	91	45	20	24	21
	S ...	0.21	1.32	0.22	0.94	0.36	0.76	20	112	20	88	37	64
Western ...	N ...	0.01	0.47	0.00	0.20	0.12	1.14	2	89	0	29	18	124
	S ...	0.39	1.43	0.08	1.77	0.03	0.77	51	152	9	203	4	94

Principal Dairying Districts.

Division of Coast.		Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal=100).					
		1937.						1937.					
		July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
		ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.						
North ...	N	4.55	4.28	0.31	6.14	13.06	6.13	118	159	12	218	342	130
	S	1.85	2.26	0.61	4.75	10.20	4.23	50	87	23	144	257	86
Hunter and Manning.	N	3.73	2.36	0.48	3.26	10.85	3.18	87	76	15	117	326	69
	S	1.84	2.60	0.56	2.76	4.14	3.75	58	119	24	128	164	105
South ...	N	2.37	3.04	1.10	3.40	3.34	3.24	55	128	44	132	133	92
	S	0.93	3.31	1.84	4.07	1.39	4.04	32	168	70	161	60	136

NOTE.—The above tables are based upon the records of the Commonwealth Meteorologist. The divisions correspond approximately with the statistical divisions shown on the map in the frontispiece of the Official Year Book of New South Wales, each division being subdivided into two sectors indicated by the letters N, S, E, or W according as they constitute the northern, southern, eastern or western portion of the division concerned. Normal Rainfall is based on the period ended 1929.

**No. 21.—Rainfall Index—Weighted Average Ratio of Actual to Normal Rainfall
(New South Wales).**

Normal Rainfall each month=100.

Month.	Sheep Districts.					Wheat Districts.				Dairying Districts.			
	N	C	S	W	T	N	C	S	T	N	C	S	T
1937.													
January ...	88	89	180	123	122	98	97	190	154	76	146	112	99
February ...	86	94	15	136	70	82	82	9	37	183	69	66	139
March ...	196	101	100	68	124	159	110	84	105	208	176	200	199
April ...	33	32	41	11	33	31	39	44	41	61	86	24	63
May ...	24	46	57	34	42	34	56	61	56	8	14	15	11
June ...	72	82	57	84	71	64	81	55	63	124	290	284	187
July ...	65	22	28	23	36	85	19	26	31	101	75	41	87
August ...	97	132	112	107	113	99	136	106	113	141	93	152	130
September ...	58	64	107	29	73	59	63	96	83	15	19	30	21
October ...	98	78	118	71	96	96	83	122	109	200	121	149	173
November ...	163	111	54	22	97	146	109	43	73	321	261	89	275
December ...	70	50	78	55	65	73	53	81	73	119	83	118	110
Year 1937 ...	92	75	81	67	81	89	78	77	78	130	117	103	123

N—Northern. S—Southern. C—Central. W—Western. T—Total, New South Wales.

No. 22.—Area under Crop.

Season ended March.	Wheat (grain only).	Maize (grain only).	Oats (grain only).	Rice.	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	Total Area under Crop.*
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1927†	3,352,736	128,516	105,115	3,958	10,128	625,616	7,051	21,941	4,595,711
1928†	3,029,950	148,801	114,988	9,891	8,556	680,919	7,456	21,578	4,994,515
1929†	4,090,083	106,835	126,743	14,027	6,783	684,730	7,077	14,830	5,440,762
1930†	3,974,064	108,219	181,354	19,780	7,967	698,395	7,019	12,785	5,499,408
1931†	5,134,960	105,024	176,659	19,825	7,617	896,770	6,771	15,304	6,809,510
1932	3,682,945	106,047	151,600	19,574	8,272	612,150	6,735	17,522	5,107,049
1933	4,803,943	113,333	163,809	22,032	7,796	645,609	7,225	20,739	6,330,370
1934	4,584,092	117,231	203,693	20,221	10,015	724,538	7,097	20,089	6,281,477
1935	3,892,768	115,570	237,405	21,738	7,572	757,414	7,041	19,662	5,684,558
1936	3,851,373	119,849	270,622	21,705	10,416	658,810	7,382	22,743	5,730,315
1937	3,982,864	116,286	235,817	23,357	10,231	747,927	7,327	24,909	5,951,043

Production of Crops.

(In thousands, 000 omitted).

Season ended March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Rice.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Crops (to Producers)
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1927†	47,541	3,599	1,899	215	230	878	1,626	53	21,816
1928†	27,042	3,931	1,655	879	209	754	2,295	47	15,444
1929†	49,257	2,506	2,184	1,308	147	793	1,482	26	19,356
1930†	34,407	3,036	2,529	1,829	174	687	1,934	24	15,269
1931†	65,877	2,767	3,242	1,427	160	1,192	1,336	32	12,328
1932	54,966	2,670	2,526	1,350	179	811	1,590	34	14,547
1933	78,870	2,935	3,514	1,901	157	909	2,076	42	17,474
1934	57,057	3,134	3,178	2,172	231	920	1,813	44	14,302
1935	48,678	3,239	3,857	1,888	227	1,005	1,539	46	15,161
1936	48,822	3,325	4,736	2,164	280	837	2,568	63	16,796
1937	55,668	3,303	3,968	2,277	275	917	2,944	66	†

Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Rice.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre of all Crops.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1927†	14.2	28.0	18.1	54.3	22.73	1.40	230	2.43	4 14 11
1928†	8.9	26.4	14.4	88.9	24.38	1.11	†	2.19	3 1 10
1929†	12.0	23.5	17.2	93.2	21.73	1.16	†	1.78	3 11 1
1930†	8.7	28.1	13.9	92.5	21.85	0.99	†	1.87	2 15 6
1931†	12.8	26.3	18.4	72.0	21.03	1.32	†	2.11	1 16 2
1932	14.9	25.2	16.7	69.0	21.66	1.32	†	1.92	2 17 0
1933	16.4	25.9	21.5	86.3	20.12	1.41	†	2.04	2 15 2
1934	12.4	26.7	15.6	107.4	23.06	1.27	†	2.17	2 5 6
1935	12.5	28.0	16.2	86.9	30.03	1.33	†	2.34	2 13 4
1936	12.7	27.7	16.9	99.7	26.93	1.27	†	2.76	2 18 7
1937	14.0	28.4	16.8	97.5	26.90	1.23	†	2.66	†
Average for 10 years (1927-1936) ...	12.6	26.6	16.8	85.4	24.13	1.26	†	2.09	2 17 7

NOTE.—The figures above exclude Federal Territory since 1st July, 1927.

* Exclusive of area double cropped.

† Not available.

‡ Year ended 30th June.

Bananas 1936-37: Productive area, 11,560 acres; yield, 1,009,626 cases.

No. 23.—Wheat Production, 1936-37 and 1937-38.

The wheat crop of 1936-37 was:—

	Area sown with Wheat.	Yield of Wheat and Hay.	Average yield per acre.
	Acres.		
For grain ...	3,982,864	55,668,000 bus.	14.0 bus. (wheat).
For hay ...	293,854	352,337 tons	1.20 tons (hay).
Fed off ...	28,417		
Total ...	4,305,135		

The area under wheat in 1937-38 according to returns of wheatgrowers was 4,752,000 acres including 4,463,000 acres for grain and 289,000 acres for hay.

No. 24.—Live Stock.

At 31st March.	Horses.	Cattle.			Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.	All other.	Total.		
1927*	623,392	992,419	1,826,234	2,818,653	55,930,000	332,921
1928*	598,377	1,002,837	1,845,817	2,848,654	50,510,000	301,819
1929*	567,371	1,023,187	1,761,428	2,784,615	50,185,000	311,605
1930*	534,945	1,039,949	1,646,183	2,686,132	48,720,000	323,499
1931*	524,512	1,094,186	1,746,287	2,840,473	53,366,000	334,331
1932	524,751	1,150,877	1,842,709	2,993,586	52,986,000	385,846
1933	528,943	1,124,006	2,017,168	3,141,174	53,698,000	388,273
1934	532,028	1,155,800	2,205,971	3,361,771	52,104,000	367,116
1935	534,853	1,173,763	2,309,068	3,482,831	53,327,000	397,535
1936	542,862	1,157,584	2,230,954	3,388,538	51,936,000	436,944
1937	545,829	1,128,228	2,159,941	3,288,169	53,166,000	390,780

* At 30th June.

No. 25.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying—Principal Items.

Year ended 30th June.	Wool (as in the grease).	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Ham.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1927	499,322,000	96,551,738	6,735,960	24,603,065
1928	443,860,000	101,595,358	7,284,622	25,479,208
1929	482,920,000	96,244,230	6,339,052	23,087,271
1930	459,970,000	105,022,384	6,345,785	21,616,472
1931	427,220,000	114,201,709	6,516,065	21,901,194
1932	501,648,000	123,847,198	6,590,357	20,468,259
1933	532,080,000	128,931,070	7,193,806	20,476,555
1934	484,390,000	148,868,448	9,072,508	21,091,587
1935	494,981,000	146,106,328	8,445,468	19,667,619
1936	472,585,000	125,169,296	7,356,203	22,057,458
1937	503,616,000	109,830,751	7,417,640	19,961,481

No. 26.—Shearing—Quantity and Value of Wool Produced.

Season.	No. of Sheep and Lambs shorn.	Average weight of wool clip (greasy) Sheep and Lambs (including crutchings).	Weight of Wool Produced.			Value of Wool Produced. (On basis of average prices at Sydney Auctions).	
			Shorn Crutched and Dead.	Derived from or exported on Skins.	Total.		
	thousands.	lb.	thousand lb. greasy.			d. per lb.	£
1926-27	51,880	8.8	457,552	41,770	499,322	17.0	35,629,000
1927-28	53,730	7.5	406,080	37,780	443,860	19.5	36,064,000
1928-29	50,300	8.8	446,090	36,830	482,920	16.5	33,206,000
1929-30	53,260	7.8	417,730	42,240	459,970	10.5	20,123,000
1930-31	48,840	7.9	385,690	41,530	427,220	8.7	15,486,000
1931-32	52,236	8.7	455,168	46,480	501,648	8.3	17,349,000
1932-33	55,612	8.6	479,162	52,918	532,080	8.5	18,845,000
1933-34	56,878	7.5	430,387	54,003	484,390	15.8	31,889,000
1934-35	54,884	8.1	447,738	47,243	494,981	9.7	19,827,000
1935-36	55,805	7.7	432,059	40,526	472,585	14.0	27,321,000
1936-37	55,485	8.3	461,073	42,543	503,616	16.4	34,106,000
1937-38	†	†	†	†	†504,000	†	†

† Not yet available.

‡ Preliminary; subject to revision.

Statistics as to sheep in 1937, as compared with previous years are as follow :—

	Year ended 31st March.					
	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.
	thousands.					
Number of sheep at end of year	52,986	53,698	52,104	53,327	51,936	53,166
Lambs marked during year	14,332	14,221	10,737	12,996	11,338	14,331
Sheep slaughtered during year	6,880	7,519	7,164	6,810	6,037	6,416
Net export (interstate)	647	2,453	1,433	938	1,391	1,197
Number of deaths (approximate)	3,800	3,537	3,734	4,025	5,301	5,488

No. 27.—Butter Produced in Factories, 1932-1937.

Month.	1932-1933.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
July ...	6,013,284	5,929,099	5,687,843	4,575,332	4,989,910	4,160,531
August ...	6,494,123	6,305,839	6,340,417	4,852,917	5,569,294	4,842,403
September ...	7,737,137	8,102,099	8,828,191	6,767,998	6,841,174	7,028,733
October ...	12,394,414	13,046,158	14,558,132	10,802,466	9,206,170	9,315,527
November ...	13,706,448	15,606,610	15,927,214	12,970,335	8,335,671	13,339,644
December ...	14,300,795	17,605,529	16,856,017	13,354,692	7,916,825	15,168,126
January ...	12,270,904	18,293,298	17,488,770	14,410,997	13,263,076	
February ...	13,463,474	14,950,372	15,171,880	13,203,505	11,880,839	
March ...	12,356,976	15,479,653	15,228,584	13,324,046	13,363,187	
April ...	9,869,040	12,064,304	11,318,081	11,140,278	10,373,036	
May ...	8,714,587	9,135,412	7,786,326	7,809,073	7,415,243	
June ...	6,304,217	6,689,971	4,966,667	5,911,698	4,820,478	
Year ...	123,625,399	143,208,344	140,158,126	119,123,337	103,974,903	
Six months ended 31st Dec.	60,646,201	66,595,334	68,197,814	53,323,740	42,859,044	53,854,964

No. 28.—Minerals Won in New South Wales, 1934-1936.

Minerals.	1934.		1935.		1936.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Coal ... ton	7,873,180	£ 4,541,923	8,698,579	£ 4,887,341	9,199,466	£ 5,126,850
Gold ... oz. fine	36,123	307,662†	50,100	439,123†	60,739	525,792†
Silver—Ingots and Matte ... „	55,358	5,285	62,198	8,110	56,944	5,142
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, etc. ton	241,486	2,194,538	243,817	3,181,278	255,998	3,815,643
Zinc Concentrates ... „	231,780	208,511	243,604	230,890	220,767	198,460
Tin Ingots and Ore ... „	1,179	328,130	1,096	287,890	1,114	268,454
Copper, Ingots, Matte, and Ore ... „	777	25,398	856	30,071	1,373	53,687
Silica ... „	25,714	10,872	26,129	10,837	33,838	15,249
Manganese Ore ... „	103	309	148	444	72	243
Limestone Flux ... „	91,757	32,115	104,953	20,990	118,428	22,349
Opal (Noble) ... „	...	3,283	...	5,070	...	6,110
All other Minerals †	...	1,337,185	...	1,481,748	...	1,482,226
Total ... £	...	8,995,211	...	10,583,792	...	11,520,205
Other:—*						
Portland Cement ton	224,350	756,214	292,854	992,377	299,836	986,331
Lime ... „	17,125	34,196	23,268	47,777	32,187	70,439
Coke ... „	688,621	636,346	857,875	802,887	893,201	800,632

* Quantity manufactured and value. † Includes output of quarries. ‡ Valued in Australian currency.

Nominal values on basis of £4 4s. 11d. per fine oz. were £153,412, £212,818 and £258,001 in 1934, 1935 and 1936 respectively.

Gold production, 1937:—68,607 fine ozs.

Estimated production, 1937—Coal, 9,900,000 tons; Coke, 940,000 tons; Portland Cement, 388,000 tons.

No. 29.—Factories, 1927-1937.

Year ended 30th June.	Establishments in operation during year.†	Average No. of Persons Employed (including Working Proprietors), for whole year.			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Salaries and Wages Paid, exclusive of drawings by Working Proprietors.	Total Value of Output.†
		Males.	Females.	Total			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1927	8,222	135,395	44,073	179,378	48,659,375	37,092,196	179,302,440
1928	8,362	134,341	43,357	177,698	50,489,074	37,818,141	181,403,084
1929	8,465	135,773	44,983	180,756	51,365,710	38,544,687	185,298,575
1930	8,208	122,005	40,908	162,913	53,515,368	34,875,995	167,250,618
1931	7,544	93,881	33,724	127,605	50,865,884	25,200,290	118,483,536
1932	7,397	90,667	35,688	126,355	50,277,992	22,751,013	114,439,507
1933	7,444	99,718	38,786	138,504	49,903,177	23,782,848	124,445,767
1934	7,818	111,599	42,400	153,999	49,083,921	25,748,547	136,611,971
1935	8,254	127,114	47,919	175,033	50,453,590	29,513,467	154,433,248
1936	8,486	140,896	52,304	193,200	51,964,982	33,314,534	174,693,761
1937§	8,726	¶	¶	¶	51,979,614	*36,642,444	192,812,414

*Of this amount males received £31,450,699 and females £5,191,745. † The value of production is shown in Table 31.

‡ Returns under the Census Act relating to factories, workshops or mills in which four or more persons are employed or power is used.

§ Preliminary; subject to revision.

¶ Not available. The number of persons employed for the whole or any part of the year 1936-37 was 211,066, compared with 197,134 in 1925-26.

No. 32.—New Buildings and Additions completed in Metropolitan Area during Year.

(Based on Records of Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Board. Government buildings are included.)

Year.	City of Sydney.		Suburbs.*		Metropolitan Area.*	
	New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.		New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.		New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.	
	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.
		£		£		£
1927	214	2,795,277	9,490	10,598,945	9,704	13,394,222
1928	324	3,630,037	10,216	11,496,270	10,540	15,126,307
1929	151	4,945,072	8,490	10,393,236	8,641	15,338,308
1930	231	2,865,204	4,691	5,616,313	4,922	8,481,517
1931	126	542,551	1,203	1,068,129	1,329	1,610,680
1932	74	1,073,622	1,009	680,541	1,143	1,754,163
1933	92	716,672	1,354	1,305,461	1,446	2,022,133
1934	152	538,034	2,711	2,632,174	2,863	3,170,208
1935	214	1,157,958	4,742	5,277,098	4,956	6,435,056
1936	280	2,080,049	6,108	6,550,988	6,388	8,631,037
1937	218	1,558,137	5,748	6,160,832	5,966	7,718,969

* Including suburbs named in Table 36 except Dundas, Ermington and Rydalmere, and Holroyd.

No. 33.—Total Value of Permits to Erect New Buildings, Additions, etc.

(Compiled from returns of Municipal and Shire Councils. Government buildings are excluded.)

(Compiled from returns of Municipal and Sanitary Councils. Government buildings are estimated.)									
Year.	City of Sydney.		Suburbs of Sydney.		129 Country Towns.		Seven Shires Adjacent to Metropolitan Area.		Total of foregoing.
	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1929	2,127,000	1,420,000	9,070,006	1,728,050	3,775,862	750,264	767,359	83,400	19,721,941
1930	1,237,000	824,000	2,356,053	699,290	1,495,793	445,972	357,128	63,348	7,478,584
1931	330,810	165,607	454,971	347,658	458,871	199,527	152,901	35,282	2,145,627
1932	119,040	349,270	657,637	440,279	593,665	277,188	183,442	38,919	2,659,440
1933	306,366	428,893	1,459,919	652,632	794,937	338,991	233,990	64,005	4,369,733
1934	589,768	554,747	3,675,736	844,966	1,760,244	486,098	387,151	71,296	8,370,006
1935	1,275,555	872,639	5,515,518	1,287,410	2,604,110	692,317	519,630	78,669	12,845,848
1936 (Quarter)									
March	631,905	196,456	1,324,953	302,219	741,612	175,713	125,763	17,286	3,515,907
June	243,500	234,296	1,602,569	356,933	744,820	241,679	115,161	20,022	3,558,980
September	154,159	170,198	2,078,997	436,225	916,990	215,671	185,419	32,657	4,190,316
December	527,189	151,607	1,376,220	342,677	693,397	285,864	135,856	20,223	3,533,933
Year	1,556,753	752,557	6,382,739	1,438,054	3,096,819	918,927	562,199	90,188	14,798,236
1937 (Quarter)									
March	93,141	105,701	1,390,986	360,459	796,728	213,000	104,613	14,703	3,079,331
June	744,080	209,936	1,615,361	416,686	934,996	286,445	118,557	36,646	4,362,707
September	615,244	99,362	1,979,320	384,871	917,461	312,108	250,489	25,904	4,584,759
December	512,863	163,274	2,117,254	451,869	917,181	216,646	219,667	30,850	4,629,604
Year	1,965,328	578,273	7,102,921	1,613,885	3,566,366	1,028,199	693,326	108,103	16,656,401

§ See footnote to Table 38.

No. 34.—Permits to erect New Buildings—Suburbs of Sydney—Monthly.

Month.	1933.		1934.		1935.		1936.		1937.	
	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.
		£		£		£		£		£
January	77	60,188	139	154,791	315	386,027	422	394,723	367	439,165
February	76	78,417	210	245,532	296	391,460	443	473,666	390	411,115
March	78	97,985	315	285,184	351	498,660	373	456,564	410	540,706
April	87	77,254	262	252,534	315	466,810	389	442,976	332	629,176
May	82	63,550	267	325,114	343	417,200	390	450,525	498	492,684
June	134	138,929	242	358,072	372	529,146	567	709,068	446	493,501
July	151	148,996	264	271,771	445	661,115	637	667,403	476	507,163
August	151	169,958	298	385,640	431	543,111	509	637,904	626	760,813
September	154	188,735	261	336,892	419	411,945	587	773,690	635	711,344
October	128	130,294	286	417,037	396	485,215	434	589,150	584	654,679
November	141	177,234	307	380,676	374	430,970	370	412,874	576	688,017
December	84	128,379	207	262,493	274	293,859	295	374,196	422	774,558
Total (12 months)	1,343	1,459,919	3,058	3,675,736	4,331	5,515,518	5,416	6,382,739	5,762	7,102,921

Compiled from returns of Municipal Councils.

Government buildings are excluded.

No. 35.—Particulars of Building Permits.—New Buildings and Alterations and Additions.

(Government Buildings are excluded.)

Class of Building.	Year ended 31st December, 1936.				Year ended 31st December, 1937.			
	Metropolis. ‡		Country Towns.		Metropolis. ‡		Country Towns.	
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
New Buildings.								
Dwellings—		£		£		£		£
Brick, concrete, etc. ...	3,509	3,190,657	747	840,904	3,702	3,365,022	860	783,083
Fibro-cement and weatherboard ...	877	313,151	3,067	1,381,036	1,150	514,211	3,098	1,544,565
Hotels, Guest Houses, etc. ...	6	56,000	§	§	16	198,600	33	355,942
Flats* ...	(a)520	1,985,121	33	62,067	(b)505	2,063,672	38	80,886
Shops with dwellings ...	153	180,755	103	126,976	90	128,859	90	169,667
Shops only ...	120	83,435	230	260,798	67	88,572	123	110,555
Factories... ..	131	564,141	33	59,257	109	652,030	53	123,342
Garages (public) ...	33	74,518	41	27,900	35	148,595	51	39,880
Others	173	1,491,714	232	337,881	174	1,908,688	287	358,446
Total	5,522	7,939,492	4,486	3,096,819	5,848	9,068,249	4,633	3,566,366

Alterations and Additions.

Dwellings—		£		£		£		£
Brick, concrete, etc. ...	2,328	465,342	647	258,145	2,374	380,335	538	87,752
Fibro-cement and weatherboard ...	606	35,444	1,807	110,889	710	44,527	1,855	141,194
Hotels, Guest Houses, etc. ...	23	53,224	§	§	70	130,885	130	225,837
Flats	89	63,273	6	3,915	76	39,225	10	2,248
Converted into flats*... (c)168		126,592	22	8,381	(d)174	153,249	27	13,570
Shops with dwellings ...	164	36,020	121	35,185	240	50,676	132	35,343
Shops only	338	172,484	371	136,024	298	95,553	336	129,822
Factories... ..	432	473,463	65	45,877	474	555,222	51	18,087
Garages (public) ...	38	15,419	60	14,409	53	15,750	33	10,342
Garages (private) ...	2,059	92,823	1,529	39,902	2,080	94,416	1,541	43,611
Outbuildings	655	24,745	726	24,386	609	23,692	810	39,672
Others	647	631,782	403	241,814	628	608,628	432	280,721
Total	7,547	2,190,611	5,757	918,927	7,786	2,192,158	5,895	1,028,199
Grand Total	13,069	10,130,103	10,243	4,015,746	13,634	11,260,407	10,528	4,594,565

Garages built on to existing buildings have been treated as additions. *Containing dwellings:—(a) 3,340; (b) 3,436 (c) 449; (d) 494. ‡ Metropolitan Municipalities included are listed in Table 36.

§ Included in "Dwellings" above.

No. 36.—Metropolis—Population and Buildings—Permits to erect New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.*

Municipality.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1936.	New Buildings during Year.				Alterations and Additions during Year.			
		1936.		1937.		1936.		1937.	
		Per- mits.	Estimated Value.	Per- mits.	Estimated Value.	Per- mits.	Estimated Value.	Per- mits.	Estimated Value.
		No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
City of Sydney	87,770	106	1,556,753	86	1,965,328	816	752,557	719	578,273
Suburbs—									
<i>Inner Industrial—</i>									
Paddington	24,530	11	18,600	9	40,178	70	19,686	50	16,124
Redfern	18,500	12	44,440	10	41,185	43	27,455	34	37,496
Waterloo	11,700	36	193,095	25	52,515	72	46,033	90	89,418
Alexandria	8,870	22	57,736	28	131,263	84	49,670	80	88,294
Mascot	15,200	196	168,306	132	116,817	103	5,167	94	14,459
Botany	8,660	51	34,614	42	64,308	83	13,766	92	27,327
St. Peters	12,560	22	15,575	13	20,220	17	12,493	32	15,078
Erskineville	6,560	2	1,700	1	4,700	11	2,054	9	2,418
Newtown	25,000	14	12,505	4	16,625	107	59,006	163	45,817
Darlington	2,970	1	225	3	7,548	5	17,110
Glebe	19,600	17	26,250	18	51,200	57	19,197	68	26,450
Annandale	12,140	3	1,950	5	20,920	20	14,945	19	8,452
Leichhardt	30,340	29	22,005	22	25,920	77	21,649	90	39,269
Balmain	28,000	22	31,445	17	38,035	98	23,383	107	72,725
Total	224,630	437	628,221	327	624,111	845	322,052	933	500,437
<i>Illawarra—Bankstown—</i>									
Marrickville	45,840	100	131,828	67	56,921	111	28,337	137	41,594
Rockdale	40,530	256	226,463	384	296,096	282	25,123	277	25,335
Bexley	21,120	119	79,887	202	152,471	161	9,645	170	9,907
Kogarah	32,100	260	189,093	271	198,695	269	24,986	267	20,466
Hurstville	23,810	200	121,805	279	182,783	148	33,621	187	38,221
Canterbury	81,350	347	239,881	504	340,495	520	35,031	565	39,608
Enfield	15,030	46	27,815	38	27,911	108	37,771	89	17,932
Bankstown	26,850	245	77,786	281	131,029	138	7,752	220	17,796
Total	286,630	1,573	1,094,558	2,026	1,386,401	1,737	202,266	1,912	210,859
<i>Inner Western—</i>									
Petersham	27,280	42	60,943	52	98,525	115	44,675	106	16,874
Ashfield	40,100	116	187,743	104	185,845	244	41,845	271	43,969
Drummoyne	30,050	151	132,760	190	178,300	209	32,601	204	41,775
Burwood	19,900	83	104,321	64	85,805	145	18,129	142	29,242
Strathfield	12,700	81	88,260	85	116,309	108	13,152	114	10,598
Homebush	3,210	8	8,390	7	17,050	25	1,256	28	2,744
Concord	23,830	103	80,344	101	166,513	174	57,860	236	24,703
Total	157,070	584	662,761	603	848,347	1,020	209,518	1,101	169,905
<i>Outer Western—</i>									
Lidcombe	17,600	56	29,602	69	44,034	97	18,530	105	15,569
Auburn	20,400	55	34,333	48	28,759	180	43,358	150	57,130
Granville	20,300	128	83,314	96	70,752	97	60,324	126	40,320
Parramatta	18,630	111	112,247	113	147,171	108	21,218	102	22,638
Holroyd (Pitt and Merry- lands Wards).	8,850	88	39,651	68	37,650	54	2,645	45	3,775
Total	85,780	438	299,147	394	328,366	536	146,075	528	145,432
<i>Northern—</i>									
Manly	24,400	134	181,474	137	220,689	136	43,202	203	45,862
Mosman	24,500	108	210,757	102	210,215	123	32,070	142	55,862
North Sydney	50,770	156	409,841	152	364,206	294	47,566	223	63,903
Willoughby	44,330	211	221,557	237	220,564	309	30,170	325	35,627
Ku-ring-gai	30,560	353	545,733	360	558,420	413	94,514	407	88,653
Lane Cove	15,830	98	120,481	121	129,640	128	10,557	126	26,399
Hunter's Hill	9,240	35	36,222	31	44,520	98	10,727	101	7,295
Ryde	29,320	279	199,134	299	238,159	196	22,745	210	15,703
Eastwood	3,180	17	7,183	23	12,445	22	1,227	22	1,590
Dundas	6,420	43	37,423	45	37,120	74	7,604	67	6,359
Ermington and Rydalmere	2,400	8	5,265	16	13,930	19	742	23	660
Total	240,950	1,442	1,975,070	1,523	2,049,908	1,812	301,124	1,849	347,913
<i>Eastern—</i>									
Vauluse	7,640	60	129,792	51	101,412	94	27,273	106	28,986
Woollahra	36,640	124	655,234	99	446,709	213	87,877	171	79,762
Waverley	58,900	332	483,969	215	472,624	189	41,911	193	62,564
Randwick	81,340	426	453,987	524	845,043	285	99,958	274	68,027
Total	184,520	942	1,722,982	889	1,865,788	781	257,019	744	239,339
Total (Suburbs)	1,179,580	5,416	6,382,739	5,762	7,102,921	6,731	1,438,054	7,067	1,613,885
Total (Metropolis)	1,267,350	5,522	7,939,492	5,848	9,068,249	7,547	2,190,611	7,786	2,192,158

* Compiled from returns of Municipal Councils. Government buildings are excluded.

No. 57.—Country Towns—Permits to Erect New Buildings; and Populations of Country Municipalities.

(Government Buildings are excluded.)

Town or Municipality.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1936.	New Buildings, Year 1937.		Town or Municipality.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1936.	New Buildings, Year 1937.		Town or Municipality.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1936.	New Buildings, Year 1937.	
		Permits.	Estimated Value.			Permits.	Estimated Value.			Permits.	Estimated Value.
Balance of Cumberland—		No.	£	South Coast—		No.	£	Central-western		No.	£
Cabramatta and Canley Vale ..	6,850	98	25,045	Bega ...	2,500	28	29,239	Slope—			
Campbelltown ..	2,960	18	6,146	Berry ...	2,750	21	7,876	Dubbo ...	8,560	45	29,163
Castlereagh ...	1,200	7	1,730	Bowral ...	3,100	18	18,856	Forbes ...	5,560	26	21,657
Fairfield ...	9,440	112	32,539	Braidwood	2	1,050	Molong ...	1,630	17	8,893
Holroyd ...	8,230	153	92,537	Broughton Vale ...	330	Narromine ...	1,700	14	15,532
Ingleburn ...	2,000	14	4,579	Camden ...	2,530	21	19,235	Parkes ...	6,080	46	36,225
Liverpool ...	6,660	58	17,687	Gerrington ...	910	8	970	Peak Hill ...	1,270	†11	†5,030
Penrith... ..	4,050	26	11,594	Illawarra, Cent'l	...	345	365,399				
Richmond ...	2,520	37	30,920	Illawarra, North	8,240	104	50,775	South-western			
St. Mary's	3,110	32	7,347	Jamberoo ...	1,130	1	465	Slope—			
Windsor ...	3,300	29	16,001	Kiama ...	2,490	4	2,690	Albury ...	11,070	98	102,477
North Coast—				Mittagong ...	1,820	6	2,910	Burrowa ...	1,570	8	3,995
Ballina ...	3,140	11	3,897	Moss Vale	12	7,815	Cootamundra ...	4,890	21	20,185
Casino ...	5,870	53	59,167	Nowra ...	3,170	23	14,151	Grenfell ...	2,560	25	15,786
Coraki	2	530	Pieton ...	1,060	1	300	Junee ...	4,330	11	8,231
Grafton ...	7,070	52	31,944	Shellharbour ...	1,990	27	13,588	Murrumburrah	2,790	2	1,853
Grafton, South..	2,320	17	8,914	Shoalhaven S'th.	820	3	1,160	Temora ...	4,110	55	40,788
Kempsey ...	5,170	45	28,945	Ulladulla ...	1,530	14	5,060	Wagga Wagga	12,330	97	109,820
Lismore ...	12,620	134	102,460	Wollongong ...	12,660	277	285,469	Wyalong	6	1,771
Maclean ...	1,650	4	1,722	Northern Table-				Young ...	4,200	40	40,625
Mullumbidgee	1,410	11	10,955	land—							
Murwillumbah ..	4,400	35	36,481	Armistide ...	7,040	39	33,110				
Ulmara ...	1,970	2	600	Glen Innes ...	5,450	13	7,629	North Central			
Hunter and				Inverell ...	5,720	85	51,000	Plain—			
Manning—				Tenterfield ...	2,710	15	12,554	Moree ...	4,670	37	25,847
Newcastle City	13,920	50	81,370	Uralla ...	1,110	7	3,512	Narrabri ...	3,100	30	16,221
Adamstown ...	5,080	46	24,012	Walcha... ..	1,570	14	10,890	Narrabri West...	1,060	14	8,641
Carrington ...	3,150	14	15,088	Central Table-							
Hamilton ...	19,960	124	104,645	land—							
Lambton ...	4,570	41	18,523	Bathurst ...	10,700	38	35,438	Central Plain—			
Lambton, New	6,700	95	64,958	Blackheath ...	1,540	23	30,440	Condobolin ...	2,760	38	20,580
Merewether ...	8,780	131	77,313	Blayney	7	2,310	Coonamble ...	2,820	23	8,875
Stockton ...	5,720	32	22,483	Carcoar	Nyngan ...	1,630	8	4,690
Wallsend ...	7,200	81	38,707	Cowra ...	5,320	39	50,616	Warren... ..	1,680	8	6,165
Waratah ...	21,480	193	111,595	Gulgong ...	1,800	35	16,164				
Wickham ...	12,160	47	57,121	Katoomba ...	6,800	42	101,837	Riverina—			
Total, Newcastle and Suburbs...	108,720	854	615,815	Lithgow ...	13,570	8	3,640	Corowa ...	2,920	26	23,157
				Mudgee ...	4,110	23	12,445	Deniliquin ...	3,370	20	13,770
				Orange ...	10,030	51	107,087	Hay ...	3,300	13	20,005
				Wellington ...	4,440	23	30,716	Hillston ...	1,170	2	285
				Southern Table-				Moama ...	780
				land—				Narrandera ...	4,250	20	33,063
Aberdeen ...	1,010	5	2,305	Bombala ...	970	7	3,968				
Cessnock ...	14,400	53	13,805	Cooma ...	2,070	28	10,754	Western			
Dungog ...	2,230	14	11,950	Goulburn ...	15,260	26	30,159	Division—			
Gosford ...	3,580	36	18,284	Queanbeyan ...	4,130	7	5,570	Balranald ...	1,330	11	7,580
Maitland, East	4,330	30	16,863	Yass ...	3,000	20	13,293	Bourke ...	1,860	7	5,955
Maitland, West..	8,250	12	10,556	North-western				Brewarrina ...	860	3	1,355
Morpeth ...	1,040	1	1,200	Slope—				Broken Hill ...	27,400	160	64,033
Muswellbrook ...	3,370	16	11,944	Barraba ...	1,490	4	2,240	Cobar ...	1,370	23	16,975
Port Macquarie..	1,890	27	38,389	Bingara ...	1,420	11	4,620	Wentworth ...	860	3	2,155
Raymond Ter-				Gunnedah ...	3,920	46	27,274	Wilcannia ...	650	4	715
race ...	960	4	1,990	Manilla ...	1,870	21	22,729				
Scone ...	2,270	8	5,750	Murrumbidgee	1,220	3	5,550				
Singleton ...	3,800	10	7,594	Quirindi ...	2,680	6	2,576				
Taree ...	5,000	24	14,844	Tamworth ...	10,530	67	54,045				
Wingham ...	1,740	11	8,375								

† January to September. ‡ Excluding Pitt and Merrylands Wards.

No. 38.—129 Country Towns—Permits to Erect New Buildings, etc., 1929–37.

Year.	New Buildings.		Alterations and Additions.		Period.	New Buildings.		Alterations and Additions.	
	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.		Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.
		£		£			£		£
1929 ...	4,375	3,775,862	6,382	750,264	1936—Dec. Quarter	1,063	693,397	1,387	285,864
1930 ...	1,945	1,495,793	5,109	445,972	1937 " "	1,165	917,181	1,496	216,646
1931 ...	904	458,871	3,300	199,527					
1932 ...	1,126	593,665	3,528	277,188					
1933 ...	1,546	794,937	3,596	338,991					
1934 ...	2,931	1,760,244	4,117	486,098					
1935 ...	4,063	2,604,110	4,802	692,317					
1936 ...	4,486	3,096,819	5,757	918,927					
1937 ...	4,933	3,566,366	5,895	1,028,199					

NOTE.—The following municipalities have been excluded from Country Municipalities and included in the Metropolis:—Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta, from 1st January, 1929; Dundas, Ermington and Rydalmere and Pitt and Merrylands Wards of Holroyd Municipality from 1st January, 1933.

No. 39.—Revenue and Expenditure of New South Wales, 1932-33 to 1936-37.

Classification.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.
REVENUE.					
Governmental—	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth contributions towards Interest					
Payments on Public Debt	£ 2,917,411	2,917,411	2,917,411	2,917,411	2,917,411
Taxation—State†	£ 7,252,288	7,180,903	7,755,708	7,864,230	7,545,411
Unemp't Relief, Wages and Special Income	6,702,439	5,248,287	5,262,620	6,190,292	6,801,889
Family Endowment	2,490,034	998,914	37,778	71,132	24,522
Land—Alienation	896,511	796,344	805,068	835,170	865,936
Revenue	830,436	801,742	793,932	864,379	925,658
Total Land	£ 1,726,947	1,598,086	1,599,000	1,699,549	1,791,594
Services (other than Business Undertakings)...	1,346,645	1,193,548	1,389,588	1,479,753	1,477,914
Miscellaneous Receipts	2,661,975	3,720,036	3,477,417	2,952,172	2,912,249
Total Governmental	£ 25,097,739	21,857,185	21,439,522	23,174,539	25,470,990
Business Undertakings—‡					
Railways	16,205,320	15,690,186	16,802,699	17,753,581	18,616,496
Tramways	3,266,848	3,237,942	3,321,774	3,388,580	3,423,205
Omnibuses	50,865	227,113	295,924	369,166	504,499
Sydney Harbour... ..	880,012	855,959	968,147	1,040,610	1,093,601
Hunter District Board of Water and Sewerage	272,064	275,471	293,657	296,962	320,812
Total Business Undertakings‡	£ 20,675,109	20,286,671	21,682,201	22,848,899	23,958,703
Road Transport and Traffic Fund	382,151	425,073	450,348	488,770	529,392
Grand Total	£ 46,154,999	42,568,929	43,572,071	46,512,208	49,959,085
EXPENDITURE.					
Governmental—					
Interest	4,113,306	4,076,192	4,163,998	4,638,987	5,084,521
Exchange	890,716	530,676	787,741	791,589	692,514
Sinking Fund	4926,845	4929,718	4815,311	1,077,000	1,199,725
Sinking Fund (previous years)	6206,783
Departments—					
Premier	201,281	210,497	252,234	109,225	132,222
Ministry of Transport	2,842	3,960	4,092	72,844	69,085
Chief Secretary	1,345,635	1,333,382	1,346,552	1,425,067	1,556,145
Health (incl. Lunacy)	1,631,135	1,653,887	1,601,705	1,724,336	1,947,269
Treasurer (ex. Business Undertakings, and Interest on Deposits, etc.)††	1,657,461	1,755,793	1,771,378	1,728,685	1,819,061
Attorney-General and Justice	683,907	640,567	666,014	698,432	730,215
Lands... ..	301,659	313,599	347,269	333,664	343,533
Public Works (ex. Business Undertakings)...	415,762	423,543	456,325	655,717	916,397
Local Government, incl. Endowments, etc.	229,105	244,692	271,356	255,606	
Public Instruction (ex. Endowments, etc.)...	3,831,523	3,997,712	3,933,412	4,227,447	4,426,733
Labour and Industry... ..	68,910	65,724	40,341	54,915	53,317
Mines	71,417	65,774	71,398	76,210	76,291
Forests	54,193	51,806	49,690	55,398	62,703
Agriculture	514,061	455,951	566,604	517,749	561,253
Water Conservation and Irrigation	74,999	68,837	74,265	82,701	92,668
Social Services (part)	7,185,995	4,885,912	4,255,775	4,884,960	4,955,322
All other Services	1,258,867	1,294,498	1,057,064	1,182,093	1,218,026
Total, Governmental	£ 25,459,529	22,701,820	22,685,307	24,592,625	25,936,910
Business Undertakings, incl. Capital Charges*†—					
Railways	19,565,802	18,278,313	18,086,210	18,451,843	18,588,099
Tramways	3,261,371	3,198,569	3,264,593	3,328,251	3,341,756
Omnibuses	49,351	222,008	286,177	340,123	479,430
Sydney Harbour... ..	891,103	839,614	853,965	849,227	838,264
Hunter District Board of Water and Sewerage	304,531	274,495	253,282	262,296	293,682
Total, Business Undertakings†	£ 24,072,158	22,812,999	22,744,137	23,231,740	23,541,231
Road Transport and Traffic Fund	382,151	425,073	450,348	488,770	529,392
Grand Total	£ 49,913,838	45,939,892	45,879,792	48,313,135	50,007,533
<i>Motor Taxes paid to Main Roads Dept. (not included in revenue or expenditure above)</i>	1,107,189	1,196,769	1,312,459	1,493,735	1,707,488

* Including Interest, Exchange and Sinking Fund. Exclusive of part of Motor Tax and Motor License Fees paid to Main Roads Dept., etc., and of Family Endowment Tax, and Unemployment Relief Tax (see below and Table 41). † On Income and Expenditure basis. ‡ Excluding £108,707 in 1932-33, £177,284 in 1933-34, £136,132 in 1934-35, £161,511 in 1935-36, and £166,505 in 1936-37 from Road Transport and Traffic Funds. †† Includes £800,000 annual contribution to Railways. ‡‡ Governmental Expenditure excludes Interest and Sinking Fund charges, borne on behalf of and included in Business Undertakings, viz., £3,194,052 and £85,658 in 1932-3, £2,802,993 and £94,027 in 1933-4, £1,380,000 and £31,598 in 1934-5, and £875,000 and £3,708 (also exchange £243) in 1935-6. b Repayments by Tramways.

**No. 40.—Consolidated Revenue Fund, N.S.W.—Revenue and Expenditure,
Half-year ended 31st December, 1937—Estimates, 1937-38.**

Head of Receipt.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Head of Service.
	Estimate for Year 1937-38.	(b) Receipts for Six Months ended 31st Dec., 1937.	Estimate for Year 1937-38.	(b) Expenditure for Six Months ended 31st Dec., 1937.	
Governmental—					Governmental—
Contribution by Commonwealth towards Interest	£2,917	£1,459			Interest—
Stamp and Probate ...	3,910	1,888	6,736	3,462	Overseas.
Income Tax ...	6,430	624	6,384	3,193	Australia.
Other Taxation ...	1,009	462			
Land Revenue ...	1,822	874	(a) 13,120	(a) 6,655	
Services Rendered ...	1,696	692			
General Miscellaneous ...	3,598	1,420	(a) 1,807	(a) 951	Exchange.
Social Services—			(a) 1,660	(a) 804	Sinking Fund.
Wages Tax ...	3,250	1,979	733	426	Pensions.
Special Income Tax ...	2,725	308	498	281	Special Appropriations.
Family Endowment Tax	20	9	14,400	6,889	Departments.
	27,377	9,715			
Recoups of Interest Sinking Fund and Exchange from Activities outside of Budget.	2,258	992	5,551	2,208	Social Services— (including Food Relief, Family Endowment, Widows' Pensions, etc.).
Total Governmental £	29,635	10,707	37,769	18,214	Total Governmental.
Business Undertakings, etc.—					Business Undertakings, etc.
Transport Commissioners—					Transport Commissioners—
Railways ...	19,995	9,962	(a) 13,377	(a) 6,340	Railways.
Tramways and Omnibuses	4,183	2,106	(a) 3,687	(a) 1,758	Tramways and Omnibuses
Road Transport and Traffic Fund ...	591	312	(a) 591	(a) 90	Road Transport and Traffic Fund.
Maritime Services Board—					Maritime Services Board—
Sydney Harbour ...	1,153	614	(a) 346	(a) 162	Sydney Harbour.
Hunter District Water Board ...	353	172	(a) 131	(a) 58	Hunter District Water Board.
Total Business Undertakings ... £	26,275	13,166	(a) 18,132	(a) 8,408	Total Business Undertakings.
Grand Totals ... £	55,910	23,873	55,901	26,622	Grand Totals.
Main Roads Department £	2,966	1,697	(a) 2,966	(a) 1,635	Main Roads Department.

(a) For the purposes of this statement the whole of the Interest, Sinking Fund and Exchange charges have been included under Governmental Expenditure. A substantial part of these payments is debited to Business Undertakings and recouped to Governmental Account. (b) Preliminary, subject to revision.

No. 41.—Taxation Collected by N.S.W. Government, 1933-1937.

(Exclusive of Federal and Local Taxes.)

Head of Taxation, or Charge.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.
	£	£	£	£	£
Land Tax ...	1,968	2,199	2,461	2,034	2,221
Income Tax ...	3,870,616	2,808,851	3,146,495	4,088,164	5,186,972
Unemployment Relief Tax	6,702,439	2,197,583	171,295
Wages Tax	1,573,404	3,120,034	3,364,082	3,559,553
Special Income Tax	1,477,300	1,971,292	2,826,210	3,242,336
Family Endowment Tax	2,490,034	998,914	37,778	71,132	24,523
Stamp and Probate Duties—					
Stamps ...	929,158	1,013,604	1,047,844	1,141,305	1,264,646
Betting Tickets ...	36,322	32,254	36,200	46,807	52,183
Probate ...	1,639,979	1,542,475	1,693,966	1,673,805	2,081,548
Motor Tax ...	1,193,224	1,301,109	1,433,232	1,596,227	1,750,886
Motor Registrations, Licenses, etc.	369,896	411,643	435,791	473,701	514,142
Motor Fees (Transport Act, 1930)	11,530	18,346	18,519	20,405	22,195
Motor Fees (Transport Co-ordination, 1931) ...	12,608	15,597	18,166	20,758	24,349
Motor Charges ...	20,896	24,133	28,957	52,977	42,977
Betting Taxes ...	191,046	180,781	183,945	214,833	230,031
Totalizator Tax ...	104,231	110,567	119,790	115,611	114,720
Racecourses Admission Tax	71,459	78,780	82,016	87,787	88,000
Entertainments Tax ...	55,678	56,997	69,226	82,986	91,265
Fees for Registration of Dogs ...	20,790	21,305	22,576	24,457	26,455
Other Licenses ...	331,040	333,090	351,188	386,441	407,368
Total, State Taxation £	*18,052,914	14,198,932	13,990,771	16,289,722	18,726,370
Per head of Population ...	£6/19/4	£5/8/8	£5/6/2	£6/2/8	£6/19/8

NOTE.—Part of the Motor Taxation included above is credited direct to Main Roads Dept. and not included as Governmental revenue. See footnotes to Table 39. * Part of the Taxation due in 1931-32 was collected in 1932-33.

No. 42.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, N.S.W., 1927-37.

Year ended 30th June.	Gross Debt taken over by Commonwealth. (a)	Public Debt.		Loan Expenditure authorised during Year.	Actual Loan Expenditure on Works during Year. (c) (d).	Repayments to Credit of Votes of previous Years. (c)	Net Addition to Loan Expenditure on Works during Year. (c)
		Total. (b)	Per Head of Population.				
	£	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£	£
1927	239,441,363	234,669,711	97 13 11	11,316,873	14,069,855	2,277,743	11,792,112
1928	257,189,045	248,243,348	100 19 1	17,686,837	13,760,264	1,225,987	12,534,277
1929	268,635,883	267,277,435	106 15 9	13,491,447	16,092,936	710,826	15,382,110
1930	270,908,045	276,209,411	109 3 9	12,989,267	9,398,228	614,290	8,783,938
1931	288,108,753	279,928,800	109 11 6	7,106,439	6,152,467	654,218	5,498,249
1932	306,525,598	303,719,975	117 15 10	2,908,312	4,032,068	644,924	3,387,144
1933	315,002,430	312,023,961	119 19 2	8,105,187	4,910,836	589,405	4,321,431
1934	325,541,591	322,387,025	122 19 2	9,256,304	7,798,094	793,616	7,004,478
1935	337,101,269	329,863,304	124 14 6	7,832,280	10,607,075	882,313	9,724,762
1936	346,576,294	339,330,446	127 6 1	12,006,800	9,491,108	1,512,288	7,978,820
1937	350,291,499	344,911,946	128 2 0	8,772,380	7,182,523	846,445	6,336,078

(a) Includes Funded Debt plus advances by Commonwealth Government and Commonwealth Bank, Short Term Debentures and Treasury Bills, and Closer Settlement Debentures outstanding. (b) Heading (a) plus or minus Loan Account balances, less Commonwealth Advances and Sinking Fund, etc. (c) General Loan and Loan Suspense Accounts only. (d) Excludes redemption of Closer Settlement Debentures, £650,200 in 1929, and £600,100 in 1930.

No. 43.—Loan Liability of New South Wales to the Commonwealth as at 30th June, 1937 (in terms of the Commonwealth Financial Agreement).

Register:	Loan Liability.	Proportion on each Register.	Annual Amount of Interest Liability.	Average Nominal Rate of Interest Payable.	
				30th June, 1937.	30th June, 1936.
	£	per cent.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australia	176,678,781	50.44	6,039,512	3 8 4	3 8 3
London	160,541,620	45.83	5,922,031	3 13 9	3 13 11
New York	13,071,098	3.73	632,720	4 16 10	4 17 0
Total	350,291,499	100.00	12,594,263	3 11 11	3 11 11

* Payable in English and American currency respectively, cost of exchange is not included.

No. 44.—Short Term Debt of New South Wales, 1931-37.

At 30th June	Australia.	London.	Total.	At 30th June.	Australia.	London.	Total.
	thousand £	thousand £	thousand £		thousand £	thousand £	thousand £
1931 ...	9,754	13,117	22,871	1935 ...	28,310	10,113	38,423
1932 ...	25,010	12,675	37,685	1936 ...	30,605	9,965	40,570
1933 ...	27,890	10,408	38,298	1937 ...	30,560	9,965	40,525
1934 ...	29,190	10,113	39,303	31/12/37 ...	34,395	9,965	44,360

No. 45.—New South Wales Government Loans Converted in London, 1932-37.

English Currency.

Date of Transaction in London.		Amount.	Former Rate of Interest.	New Conversion Loan.			Annual Saving in Interest (Exclusive of Exchange.)
Under-written.	Converted.			Nominal Rate of Interest.	Effective Yield to Investor (including Redemption).	Latest Date of Maturity.	
		£	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.		£
1932. October	1932. 1st November ...	12,360,958	5½	3½	4 1 2	1/11/1937	278,121
1933. February	1933. 1st April* ...	9,621,846	4	4	4 0 0	1/7/1970	Nil.
May ...	1st September ...	6,427,465	6½	3½	3 14 5	1/2/1938	192,824
July ...	16th October ...	9,527,089	6	4	4 1 10	15/10/1948	190,542
Sept. ...	15th December 1934.	4,901,233	5½	3½	3 17 11	15/12/1953	98,025
Dec. ...	15th March 1934.	2,980,400	5½	3½	3 16 9	15/3/1949	52,157
February	1st June 1935.	3,979,050	5	3½	3 13 8	1/6/1959	59,686
July ...	1st October* 1936.	12,420,113	3	3	3 0 0	1/10/1941	Nil.
January	15th April 1937.	21,657,000	5	3	3 5 10	15/4/1958	433,140
June ...	15th September 1937.	10,954,600	4½	2½	2 18 6	1/1/1943	191,705
June ...	15th September†	12,360,958†	3½	3½	3 16 2	15/9/1952	Nil.
Nov. ...	1st Feb., 1938†	6,427,465†	3½	3½	3 15 1	1/2/1954	Nil.

* Renewal.

† Further conversion of loan converted in November 1932, and September, 1933.

No. 46.—Trading Banks.

(a) Average Liabilities in New South Wales (including Commonwealth and Rural Banks).

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended—	Bank Notes.	Deposits.				Total Deposits.	Other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities within New South Wales.
		Bearing Interest.		Not Bearing Interest.				
		Government.	Other.*	Government.	Other.			
June—	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
1927† ...	65	4,717	(a) 71,661	4,791	51,677	132,846	4,814	137,725
1928† ...	64	4,929	(b) 78,524	2,310	53,047	138,810	5,754	144,628
1929 ...	64	5,086	73,247	2,369	53,914	134,616	6,554	141,234
1930 ...	64	4,136	78,269	2,145	46,143	130,693	9,234	139,991
1931 ...	63	1,993	78,380	1,110	40,133	121,616	9,314	130,993
1932 ...	63	710	69,395	1,859	39,208	111,172	4,831	116,066
1933 ...	57	1,043	73,282	605	39,245	114,175	8,162	122,394
1934 ...	55	561	74,939	1,089	46,156	122,745	8,644	131,444
1935 ...	52	4,090	70,774	662	49,584	125,110	8,340	133,502
1936 ...	52	6,323	68,840	598	50,612	126,373	7,525	133,950
1937 ...	52	5,710	76,505	599	57,805	140,619	10,731	151,402
December—								
1936 ...	52	6,105	71,518	517	53,541	131,681	7,597	139,330
1937... ...	52	4,904	78,928	477	57,880	142,189	7,223	149,464

* Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits to 30th June, 1928, included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 49. Amounts were:—(a) £9,890,000; and (b) £10,434,000.

† Including Commonwealth Savings Bank.

(b) Average Assets in New South Wales (including Commonwealth and Rural Banks).

Quarter ended—	Coin and Bullion.	Australian Notes and Cash with Commonwealth Bank.	Advances, Securities, etc.			Landed Property.	Other Assets.	Total Assets within New South Wales.
			Government and Municipal Securities.*	Other Advances, etc.	Total.			
June—	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
1927† ...	12,244	10,763	26,960	108,480	135,440	3,025	4,813	166,285
1928† ...	12,132	10,375	34,936	105,755	140,691	2,987	4,757	170,942
1929 ...	11,984	11,046	24,325	119,498	143,823	3,188	3,788	173,829
1930 ...	2,254	15,767	22,262	128,762	151,024	3,473	5,513	178,031
1931 ...	908	15,922	16,844	119,509	136,353	3,654	3,287	160,124
1932 ...	1,055	12,510	25,605	113,934	138,639	3,876	2,420	158,500
1933 ...	1,008	12,015	29,714	109,643	139,357	3,801	1,600	157,781
1934 ...	929	13,838	32,181	108,808	140,989	3,846	1,429	161,031
1935 ...	881	13,107	30,060	116,892	146,952	4,173	1,301	166,414
1936 ...	963	11,203	24,747	122,724	147,471	4,292	1,419	165,348
1937 ...	1,135	13,629	26,053	127,288	153,341	4,579	1,257	173,941
December—								
1936 ...	956	11,292	25,443	127,209	152,652	4,537	1,342	170,779
1937 ...	1,241	10,942	23,018	139,450	162,468	4,755	1,506	180,912

* Including Commonwealth Treasury Bills.

† Including Commonwealth Savings Bank.

No. 47.—Trading Banks' Inter-Bank Clearings, Sydney.

(Excluding Treasury Bill Transactions.)

1933.		1934.		1935.		1936.		1937.	
Year ended 31st Dec.		£641,401,538		£716,086,124		£775,985,112		£842,609,556	
1933.		1934.		1935.		1936.		1937.	
Month, 1936.	£	Month, 1936.	£	Month, 1937.	£	Month, 1937.	£	Month, 1937.	£
January	66,451,419	July	65,140,772	January	76,658,979	July	75,036,788	January	77,395,756
February	69,163,631	August	61,854,968	February	77,221,420	August	69,986,400	February	79,829,396
March	69,876,291	September	68,104,642	March	80,642,327	September	80,107,615	March	79,210,797
April	63,480,112	October	76,601,072	April	76,060,316	October	81,306,712	April	79,210,797
May	68,409,642	November	79,687,237	May	79,210,797	November	83,877,948	May	79,210,797
June	69,491,341	December	84,348,429	June	79,210,797	December	83,877,948	June	79,210,797
406,872,436		435,737,120		467,189,595		470,144,859			

NOTE.—These totals represent the amount of cheques drawn on a bank other than the bank in which they are deposited. They are an approximate measure of general business activity. Net balances of country settlements are included. Treasury Bill transactions on behalf of Governments are excluded throughout.

No. 48.—Index of Amount of Sydney Bank Clearings

Average for each month = 100 (base period, 1926-1930.)

Month.	Average 1926-1930.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.
January ...	100	92	100	107	107	102	82	63	68	78	75	89	101
February ...	100	91	100	106	107	98	82	62	66	77	75	86	101
March ...	100	92	101	106	106	95	81	§	63	75	74	85	98
April ...	100	94	103	104	104	94	82	§	63	74	78	87	103
May ...	100	96	103	105	104	93	77	§	67	74	79	86	100
June ...	100	99	104	103	104	90	75	66	68	78	86	87	103
July ...	100	98	104	103	106	89	66	62	68	76	83	85	97
August ...	100	98	106	103	108	85	65	64	66	73	84	86	98
September ...	100	98	106	106	107	82	64	65	69	73	82	87	101
October ...	100	100	106	108	106	80	65	66	70	76	85	91	101
November ...	100	102	107	108	103	81	66	68	74	80	89	96	103
December ...	100	102	105	107	104	82	64	69	74	77	90	99	101

NOTE.—This index represents the ratio of monthly clearings to the average for the months concerned during the five years 1926-1930. Seasonal fluctuations are, therefore, virtually eliminated. The trend has been smoothed out by taking a three months moving average. The index is adjusted to eliminate the effects of Treasury Bills and other special transactions on behalf of Governments, and the effects of bank amalgamations. No allowance has been made for normal growth or change of price levels.

§ Index not ascertainable on account of suspension of State Government banking transactions.

No. 49.—Savings Banks in New South Wales.†

Year.	Amount of Deposits on 30th June.‡	Increase in Deposits during year.‡	Amount Deposited on 30th June.		Date.	Amount of Deposits.
			Per Inhabitant.			
	£	£	£	s. d.		£
1927	78,351,733	4,544,082	32	12 4	1935—Mar. 31	76,650,111
1928	81,627,667	3,275,934	33	3 11	June 30	77,906,402
1929	85,727,514	4,099,847	34	5 1	Sept. 30	78,533,317
					Dec. 31	78,533,822
1930	82,465,430	(-) 3,262,084	32	12 0		
1931	69,810,769	(-) 12,654,661	27	6 6	1936—Mar. 31	79,116,303
1932	71,647,869	1,837,100	27	15 9	June 30	79,999,948
1933	72,307,685	659,816	27	16 0	Sept. 30	79,773,002
					Dec. 31	79,467,023
1934	75,714,070	3,406,385	28	17 7		
1935	77,906,402	2,192,332	29	9 2	1937—Mar. 31	79,769,787
1936	79,999,948	2,093,546	30	0 3	June 30	81,952,399
1937	81,952,399	1,952,451	30	8 9	Sept. 30	82,460,751
					Dec. 31	82,818,561*

† Savings Bank Business done by State Savings Bank and Commonwealth Savings Bank. They were amalgamated in December, 1931.

‡ Including accrued interest. (—) Denotes decrease. * Preliminary; subject to slight revision.

No. 50.—Real Estate Transactions.—New South Wales.

(Registered under Real Property Act and Registration of Deeds Act.)

Month.	Amount of Sales.					Amount of Mortgages.‡				
	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.	1933.	1934.†	1935.	1936.†	1937.
Thousand £.										
January ...	1,244	1,398	1,727	2,153	2,954	726	1,320	1,246	1,241	1,861
February ...	1,013	1,079	2,205	2,564	2,596	792	1,461	1,341	1,200	1,688
March ...	1,248	1,844	2,201	3,090	2,992	674	1,302	1,541	3,030	2,134
April ...	947	1,469	1,828	3,033	2,792	657	981	1,160	1,389	1,607
May ...	1,437	1,233	2,518	2,317	2,716	693	971	1,723	1,376	1,850
June ...	1,073	2,134	2,163	2,839	2,879	785	1,409	1,572	1,756	1,842
July ...	1,305	3,331	2,451	3,288	4,092	896	1,521	1,363	1,668	2,550
August ...	1,412	2,442	2,041	2,787	2,925	1,117	1,061	1,121	1,686	1,771
September ...	1,014	1,485	2,248	2,815	2,665	609	1,594	1,634	1,563	1,593
October ...	1,661	1,717	2,158	2,508	3,079	838	1,088	1,361	2,270	2,241
November ...	1,512	2,733	2,475	3,212	3,478	761	1,177	1,133	1,504	2,694
December ...	1,329	2,025	2,075	2,940	3,585	1,057	1,610	1,336	1,831	1,980
Year ...	15,195	23,490	26,090	33,546	37,353	9,605	15,488†	16,531	20,511†	23,811

† Totals for months are approximate and aggregate differs slightly from annual total. ‡ In terms of the Moratorium Act, 1932-1937, the right of mortgagees to demand repayment of moneys secured by mortgage was postponed until 1940. The amount of loan is not stated in all mortgages, consequently this record is incomplete.

No. 51.—Liens on Crops and Wool.

Month.	Crop Liens.				Wool Liens.			
	1936.		1937.		1936.		1937.	
	No. /	Amount.	No. /	Amount.	Sheep. /	Amount.	Sheep. /	Amount.
		£		£	No.	£	No.	£
January ...	807	403,482	309	164,010	672,158	188,507	546,192	191,481
February ...	696	293,076	585	271,978	794,428	312,086	686,805	279,918
March ...	560	188,517	539	238,861	915,961	444,986	792,146	333,963
April ...	414	142,434	469	186,279	852,706	331,847	859,746	381,248
May ...	355	132,732	376	132,180	902,093	462,336	794,893	347,586
June ...	331	144,429	402	188,505	930,921	334,920	761,279	303,527
July ...	363	142,146	323	120,994	509,334	191,300	752,268	218,667
August ...	245	83,198	287	131,513	356,055	277,785	469,458	281,884
September ...	241	66,442	236	96,912	212,304	71,394	273,177	107,506
October ...	226	80,546	196	51,065	281,062	90,585	384,974	228,072
November ...	129	35,913	123	36,820	501,053	156,379	364,548	121,071
December ...	67	21,160	47	8,238	608,166	205,192	571,831	194,461
Year ...	4,434	1,734,075	3,892	1,630,355	7,536,321	3,067,317	7,257,317	2,989,384

No. 52.—Mortgages on Live Stock.

Month.	1936.				1937.			
	Sheep.*	Cattle.	Horses.	Amount.	Sheep.*	Cattle.	Horses.	Amount.
	No.	No.	No.	£	No.	No.	No.	£
January ...	421,849	9,488	797	98,730	422,670	5,759	718	141,569
February ...	549,276	9,392	1,119	104,945	500,336	8,229	1,164	130,086
March ...	660,420	14,063	1,273	229,732	547,199	12,221	1,269	145,900
April ...	681,574	15,208	1,517	183,872	577,386	12,204	1,270	167,014
May ...	515,828	17,581	1,578	117,229	398,708	12,972	1,424	151,680
June ...	473,914	13,926	1,123	130,787	558,429	13,917	1,272	147,546
July ...	385,172	8,832	1,166	111,984	407,914	10,649	1,031	179,996
August ...	298,779	8,540	894	114,129	333,573	10,439	1,059	157,412
September ...	311,994	9,136	984	90,275	331,529	9,428	1,146	173,103
October ...	302,330	8,960	884	85,959	390,982	11,716	1,772	139,960
November ...	455,092	12,775	969	119,338	325,285	7,314	1,096	179,697
December ...	578,386	11,591	1,464	289,124	384,451	9,078	839	132,514
Year ...	5,634,614	139,492	13,768	1,676,104	5,178,462	123,926	14,060	1,846,477

* Some of these sheep are also subject to liens for wool, and are included in Table 51.

No. 53.—Stock Exchange Index (Sydney).

The following index of the values of the principal Company shares on Sydney Stock Exchange embraces the ordinary shares of companies (excluding banking companies) whose business is conducted wholly or largely in New South Wales. The prices of individual shares are unweighted. There is no base period as the index represents the ratio of the average prices of ordinary shares to their par values; adjustment being made where capital is written off or bonus shares issued.

Average for Year.	23 Manufacturing and Distributing Companies.	10 Retail Companies.	8 Public Utility Companies.	5 Pastoral and Finance Companies.	5 Insurance Companies.	Total* Companies 75.	34 Active Shares included in foregoing.
1928	158·6	176·6	126·6	172·9	218·8	163·8	160·7
1929	174·0	172·0	127·7	158·4	229·6	166·6	164·5
1930	113·7	103·2	107·6	85·8	167·5	112·2	111·6
1931	81·0	67·6	90·6	79·1	130·4	81·9	87·0
1932	102·7	81·7	116·2	98·6	155·4	98·3	105·6
1933	127·8	102·5	137·2	121·0	179·0	119·3	127·2
1934	153·2	138·5	161·0	147·1	226·8	146·1	152·4
1935	173·8	162·4	178·5	137·4	269·1	163·6	169·2
1936	194·0	188·2	180·1	148·5	278·5	177·1	185·5
1937	212·1	196·2	182·1	166·5	276·5	187·1	196·7
1937—							
January ...	210·1	202·4	179·6	166·2	285·0	188·7	197·5
February ...	213·8	203·4	182·1	168·8	284·6	190·4	200·7
March ...	213·8	203·8	181·0	169·2	281·2	190·4	200·5
April ...	211·1	199·7	179·7	171·9	280·4	188·7	198·5
May ...	210·8	197·5	180·1	173·2	279·8	187·8	198·1
June ...	211·4	193·0	180·2	170·7	278·4	186·6	196·8
July ...	215·0	198·0	181·4	169·0	277·4	188·4	198·7
August ...	217·8	197·2	184·7	171·6	277·6	189·7	200·4
September ...	213·4	196·0	186·0	166·6	275·4	187·3	195·9
October ...	210·2	191·1	185·1	160·8	267·9	184·1	192·4
November ...	209·3	187·3	183·5	155·8	264·7	182·3	190·6
December ...	208·3	184·5	181·9	153·9	265·3	181·2	190·4

* Including 24 Miscellaneous Companies.

No. 54.—Index of Employment—N.S.W.†

After comprehensive analysis of Census data, the returns of private employers accompanying remittances or wages tax, and returns of Government employment, the following indexes have been compiled covering total employment and unemployment in New South Wales :—

Middle of Month.			Proportion of All who are Dependent on and Available for Employment.									
			Employed.					Unemployed.				
			1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.
(a) Including Full-time Equivalent of Part-time Relief Workers as Employed.												
			%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
January...	77.0	82.8	87.2	90.4	...	23.0	17.2	12.8	9.6
February	78.3	83.7	87.7	92.2	...	21.7	16.3	12.3	7.8
March	79.5	84.4	88.9	92.2	...	20.5	15.6	11.1	7.8
April	79.2	84.8	89.0	92.6	...	20.8	15.2	11.0	7.4
May	80.2	85.4	89.8	93.1	...	19.8	14.6	10.2	6.9
June	*74.4	80.5	85.9	89.3	93.5	*25.6	19.5	14.1	10.7	6.5
July	75.0	81.4	86.5	89.7	93.8	25.0	18.6	13.5	10.3	6.2
August	75.5	81.9	87.1	89.4	94.3	24.5	18.1	12.9	10.6	5.7
September	76.0	82.6	88.4	90.0	95.1	24.0	17.4	11.6	10.0	4.9
October	77.0	83.6	88.9	91.4	96.2	23.0	16.4	11.1	8.6	3.8
November	77.8	84.2	89.6	91.6	96.9	22.2	15.8	10.4	8.4	3.1
December	78.5	85.2	90.3	91.9	97.2	21.5	14.8	9.7	8.1	2.8
(b) Excluding Full-time Equivalent of Part-time Relief Workers from Employed.												
			%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
January...	74.7	80.6	85.0	89.2	...	25.3	19.4	15.0	10.8
February	76.0	81.4	85.5	90.8	...	24.0	18.6	14.5	9.2
March	77.1	81.9	86.7	90.8	...	22.9	18.1	13.3	9.2
April	76.7	82.1	86.9	91.3	...	23.3	17.9	13.1	8.7
May	77.7	82.6	87.6	91.9	...	22.3	17.4	12.4	8.1
June	*73.5	77.8	83.1	87.1	92.3	*26.5	22.2	16.9	12.9	7.7
July	73.9	78.5	83.6	87.6	92.6	26.1	21.5	16.4	12.4	7.4
August	74.2	79.1	84.2	87.5	93.0	25.8	20.9	15.8	12.5	7.0
September	74.8	80.0	85.6	88.6	93.9	25.2	20.0	14.4	11.4	6.1
October	75.5	81.0	86.3	90.0	95.1	24.5	19.0	13.7	10.0	4.9
November	76.0	81.8	87.1	90.1	95.7	24.0	18.2	12.9	9.9	4.3
December	76.5	82.8	87.8	90.5	96.0	23.5	17.2	12.2	9.5	4.0

* Census of 30th June.

† Revised since last issue. See notes below.

NOTES.

(1) The index of employment is the ratio of number in employment (first column of Table 56) to estimated number of wage earners available for employment. The index of unemployment is the residue, but both indexes are derived by modifying the census ratios in accordance with subsequent changes.

(2) "Number in employment" is virtually a direct record; "number of available wage earners" is an estimate derived by increasing the total of wage earners in employment (plus unemployed) at the Census of 1933 in ratio to the annual increase in persons aged 15 to 64 years. In order to increase the degree of precision in the index, adjustment has now been made in the number of available wage earners thus estimated to allow for (a) increase in the proportion of females who are wage earners (b) youths who—according to details recently made available—were without occupation but were not recorded in the wage-earning group at the Census of 1933. Adjustment for seasonal variations in employment is not made except in respect of casual retail employees in December.

(3) At the census of 1933, 15,142 persons, or 1.8 per cent. of total dependent on employment were unemployed by reason of illness, accident, etc., or voluntarily. These are excluded from the above indexes which relate to percentages of available wage earners employed and unemployed.

(4) The percentages of unemployment shown above are approximations relating to all wage earners of both sexes. Separate estimates for males and females cannot be made from the data available. It is known, however, that there is relatively little unemployment among females; unemployment among males is probably between 1 per cent. and 1.5 per cent. greater than the ratio shown above for both sexes combined.

No. 55.—Volume of Employment in Factories—New South Wales.

(Base : Number of employees in factories (180,756) in year 1928-29 equals 100.)

Year Ended 30th June.	Index Number.	Month.	Index Number.					
			1932-33	1933-34	1934-35	1935-36	1936-37*	1937-38*
1927 ...	99	July ...	72	78	90	101	110	120
1928 ...	99	August ...	74	80	92	103	111	122
1929 ...	100	September ...	75	81	93	104	112	123
1930 ...	90	October ...	76	84	96	106	114	125
1931 ...	71	November ...	78	86	97	108	115	127
1932 ...	70	December ...	79	87	98	109	116	127
1933 ...	77	January ...	76	83	95	105	113	
1934 ...	85	February ...	78	86	98	107	117	
1935 ...	97	March ...	79	89	100	109	118	
1936 ...	107	April ...	78	89	101	109	117	
1937* ...	115	May ...	78	90	101	111	118	
		June ...	77	90	101	110	120	

* Preliminary, subject to revision; based on sample returns.

NOTE.—For the numbers of persons employed each year, by sexes, see Table 29.

No. 56.—Employment in New South Wales.

(Approximate number of persons employed in middle week of month.)

Month.	Total in Employment. (a)	Total in Private Employment.	Total employed in Factories.	Number Employed by Employers with 10 or more Employees in—			
				Mines.	Retail Trade.	Wholesale Trade.	Offices and Commerce.
1933— June (b) ...	594,273	477,577	139,744	14,568	38,544	17,638	20,340
1935. January ...	669,518	546,013	172,300	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
February ...	677,212	553,323	176,800				
March ...	682,075	557,124	180,600				
April ...	685,257	559,267	182,200				
May ...	690,134	562,610	182,200				
June ...	694,815	567,110	182,200				
July ...	700,373	572,968	183,100				
August ...	706,793	579,152	185,300	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
September ...	719,585	591,385	188,500				
October ...	726,467	597,811	191,400				
November ...	734,369	605,006	195,600				
December ...	749,590	619,937	196,500				
1936. January ...	718,640	590,358	190,200	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
February ...	723,858	595,275	193,600	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
March ...	734,936	606,429	197,600	18,319	46,355	22,368	25,029
April ...	737,842	609,328	197,400	18,415	46,886	22,653	24,598
May ...	744,808	616,693	200,100	19,025	47,297	23,097	24,907
June ...	741,934	613,631	199,200	18,995	47,653	22,792	25,543
July ...	746,813	617,090	199,200	18,251	48,517	23,062	25,189
August ...	747,672	616,966	200,100	18,419	47,604	23,103	25,859
September ...	757,598	625,844	202,400	18,449	47,598	23,165	25,898
October ...	770,829	636,908	206,600	18,144	47,881	23,812	26,923
November ...	773,253	638,122	208,600	18,271	48,920	23,938	26,598
December ...	786,302	649,698	209,100	18,651	54,504	24,297	25,613
1937. January ...	767,367	630,601	204,600	18,458	48,955	23,833	25,393
February ...	782,069	643,523	211,100	18,642	49,483	24,318	25,257
March ...	783,328	643,797	212,900	18,461	48,888	24,140	25,098
April ...	788,862	646,902	210,600	18,635	49,192	24,534	25,232
May ...	795,485	650,272	213,700	18,512	50,232	24,718	24,393
June ...	800,405	652,947	216,200	18,555	49,877	24,808	24,857
July ...	803,579	656,424	216,500	18,808	51,260	24,508	25,429
August ...	808,770	660,759	220,900	19,436	49,948	24,331	25,423
September ...	817,679	668,068	222,500	19,738	49,854	24,474	26,048
October ...	829,735	679,736	226,100	19,320	50,623	24,819	26,883
November ...	835,635	686,239	228,800	19,461	51,415	25,015	26,865
December ...	849,993	699,183	229,900	19,782	57,364	25,355	26,397

(a) Excluding Rationed Relief Workers.

(b) Census of 30th June.

(c) Comparable figures not available.

No. 57.—Living Wage for Adult Employees*—New South Wales (State) Awards.

	Date of Declaration.	Amount per week.	
		Male.	Female.
15th December, 1926	...	84/-	
27th June, 1927	...	85/-	46/-
20th December, 1929	...	82/6	44/6
26th August, 1932	...	70/-	38/-
11th April, 1933	...	68/6	37/-
20th October, 1933	...	66/6	36/-
26th April, 1934, and 24th Oct., 1934	...	67/6	36/6
18th April, 1935, and 25th October, 1935	...	68/6	37/-
24th April, 1936	...	69/-	37/6
27th October, 1936	...	70/-	38/-
27th April, 1937	...	71/6	38/6
October, 1937	...	75/- to 78/-	40/6 to 42/-
March, 1938...	...	76/- to 79/-	41/- to 42/6

* From 1926 to April, 1937, the living wages for awards and agreements under State jurisdiction were determined by the Industrial Commission of New South Wales. Since October, 1937, the basic wages of the Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration have been adopted for State awards.

NOTE.—Current Living Wage rates of State Tribunals in other States in January, 1938, were:—Brisbane, 78s. Adelaide, 74s.; Perth, 74s. 11d. In Melbourne and Hobart the Federal basic rates (as shown in footnote to Table 58) are usually applied.

No. 58.—Basic Wage (Predominant Rate) in Federal Awards—Sydney.

Amount per week—Adult Males.

Year.	February.	May.	August.	November.	Year.	March.	June.	September.	December.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1929	91 0	95 0	94 6	95 0	1934	68 0	68 0	68 0	68 0
1930	95 6	92 0	91 0	88 0	1935	68 0	68 0	68 0	70 0
1931	76 6	74 3	72 11	70 8	1936	70 0	70 0	70 0	70 0
1932	68 10	68 10	68 5	67 6	1937	70 0	72 0	*75 0	†78 0
1933	66 7	67 10	66 11	66 11	1938	79 0			
1934	66 11	67 0	(see adjoining columns)						

* From July, 1937.

† From October, 1937.

The rates in the other capital cities from 1st March, 1938, were:—Melbourne, 77s.; Brisbane, 74s.; Adelaide 75s.; Perth, 74s.; Hobart, 76s.

NOTE.—The foregoing rates up to February, 1934, represent the Harvester Wage (42s. in 1907) adjusted by retail price index numbers, plus the "Powers' 3s." From February, 1931, to February, 1934, the adjusted rate was reduced by 10 per cent. This reduction has been applied in calculating the rates shown above.

As from May, 1934, a new basic rate was determined, the "Power's 3s." abolished, and the 10 per cent. reduction restored to marginal rates. The basic rate is subject to periodical adjustment from June, 1934.

In July, 1937, a fixed loading of 6s. was added to the basic rate in two instalments, viz., 3s. from 1st July, 1937 and 3s. from 1st October, 1937.

No. 59.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of Agricultural, Pastoral and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Article.†	September Quarter, 1937.			December Quarter, 1937.			December Quarter, 1936.		
	July.	August.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Wool (Greasy) ... per lb.	d. (17.0)‡	d. (17.2)‡	d. 15.4	d. 14.2	d. 12.6	d. 13.3	d. 14.0	d. 16.2	d. 16.6
Wheat ... per bus.	s. d. 5 5	s. d. 5 1	s. d. 5 0	s. d. 5 0	s. d. 4 7	s. d. 4 5.5	s. d. 4 11	s. d. 4 9.9	s. d. 5 3.8
Flour (in 150-lb. bags) ... per ton	£ s. d. 12 16 6	£ s. d. 12 6 12	£ s. d. 10 4	£ s. d. 12 5 0	£ s. d. 11 7 10	£ s. d. 10 15 10	£ s. d. 12 0 0	£ s. d. 12 0 0	£ s. d. 12 5 5
Brans ... per bus.	17.86	17.72	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.18	16.73	17.40	17.35
Pollard ... "	18.00	17.72	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.50	16.73	17.40	17.35
Oats ... "	s. d. *	s. d. 4 4	s. d. 3 5	s. d. *	s. d. 2 9	s. d. *	s. d. 2 8	s. d. 2 9	s. d. 2 7.5
Maize ... "	5 9.8	5 5	5 0	5 6.7	5 2.3	5 3.3	4 6	4 10.3	5 4.5
Hay (Oaten) ... per ton	£ s. d. 9 7 1	£ s. d. 9 10 0	£ s. d. 9 9 3	£ s. d. 9 6 0	£ s. d. 9 10 0	£ s. d. 9 1 2	£ s. d. 6 19 4	£ s. d. 7 0 5	£ s. d. 7 14 2
Potatoes (Local) ... "	4 10 4	4 13 0	3 11 8	4 7 5	4 3 2	4 4 7	7 19 7	10 16 2	12 0 11
Butter (Choicest) ... per lb.	d. 16.00	d. 16.00	d. 16.00	d. 16.00	d. 16.00	d. 16.00	d. 15.00	d. 15.00	d. 15.00
Cheese (Prime) ... "	10.35	10.35	10.38	10.38	10.25	10.30	9.75	9.75	9.85
Bacon (Sides) ... "	10.97	11.18	11.54	12.24	12.65	12.68	9.60	9.77	10.25
Lard (Bulk) ... "	7.00	7.19	7.25	7.25	7.25	7.25	6.75	6.75	6.75
Eggs (Case) ... per doz.	s. d. 1 6.3	s. d. 1 1.3	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 0.7	s. d. 0 10	s. d. 0 11.2	s. d. 1 0
" (Hen, New Laid) ... "	1 8.3	1 3.8	1 2	1 2	1 2	1 3.5	1 2	1 3	1 3

* No quotations.

† New South Wales Produce, wherever quotes are available.

‡ Nominal, in the absence of auction sales.

No. 60—Index Numbers—Wholesale Prices, Sydney, 1920-37.

[Basis Year 1911=1000.]

Year.	Agricultural Produce. (13 items.)	Groceries. (26 items.)	Wool, Cotton, Leather and Jute. (9 items.)	Metals and Coal (16 items.)	Building Materials. (17 items.)	Meat. (5 items.)	Dairy Produce. (8 items.)	Chemicals. (6 items.)	All Commodities (100 items.)	Non-Rural Commodities. (75 items.)
1911	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
1920	2430	1914	3079	2602	2415	3113	2236	2301	2503	2490
1923	1720	1754	2061	2131	1994	2121	1939	1531	1925	1981
1924	1475	1676	2408	2127	1988	2039	1671	1493	1874	1968
1925	1680	1673	2094	2117	1895	2042	1612	1423	1854	1872
1926	1892	1683	1652	2161	1893	1802	1760	1447	1834	1823
1927	1767	1682	1633	2197	1957	1971	1831	1483	1840	1851
1928	1456	1674	1798	2176	1937	1985	1763	1492	1785	1866
1929	1707	1661	1656	2164	1953	2391	1842	1457	1863	1841
1930	1428	1664	1384	2046	1941	2230	1571	1472	1705	1778
1931	1061	1758	1326	2038	1959	1538	1386	1633	1551	1804
1932	1137	1752	1235	2034	1943	1371	1295	1636	1525	1774
1933	1122	1659	1339	1995	1854	1518	1172	1585	1507	1716
1934	1114	1678	1393	1933	1712	1599	1245	1458	1504	1666
1935	1279	1677	1328	1920	1663	1609	1292	1374	1527	1651
1936	1299	1670	1470	1901	1707	1679	1316	1346	1562	1650
1937	1487	1671	1623	1985	1902	1754	1404	1358	1677	1731

Monthly—1935-37.

[Basis Year 1911=1000.]

1935.										
July ...	1303	1679	1359	1913	1669	1817	1297	1353	1558	1651
August ...	1370	1680	1347	1901	1660	1958	1273	1353	1581	1648
September	1385	1680	1384	1916	1658	1983	1265	1353	1591	1650
October ...	1388	1680	1399	1924	1660	1897	1279	1353	1588	1653
November	1301	1676	1434	1924	1659	1781	1288	1353	1563	1655
December	1352	1676	1428	1924	1658	1646	1298	1353	1561	1652
1936										
January ...	1337	1674	1467	1924	1658	1941	1268	1351	1589	1650
February	1253	1679	1486	1916	1661	1810	1330	1351	1567	1649
March ...	1170	1675	1495	1914	1661	1695	1349	1348	1540	1647
April ...	1181	1672	1496	1914	1660	1409	1363	1348	1521	1646
May ...	1231	1673	1490	1913	1659	1371	1360	1348	1521	1646
June ...	1242	1673	1423	1913	1709	1678	1321	1348	1546	1657
July ...	1261	1673	1431	1886	1703	1811	1312	1348	1559	1648
August ...	1288	1673	1440	1886	1704	1857	1280	1348	1568	1648
September	1292	1670	1392	1883	1711	1803	1285	1343	1556	1640
October ...	1331	1659	1431	1881	1769	1675	1296	1340	1564	1649
November	1455	1659	1534	1888	1791	1464	1309	1340	1590	1655
December	1561	1659	1554	1898	1794	1579	1318	1340	1630	1659
1937.										
January ...	1499	1671	1655	1909	1812	1725	1322	1341	1652	1679
February	1435	1671	1618	1938	1824	1603	1404	1341	1634	1689
March ...	1422	1671	1677	1986	1844	1614	1439	1341	1653	1714
April ...	1487	1667	1724	2009	1842	1545	1416	1341	1668	1721
May ...	1500	1667	1731	2001	1924	1471	1400	1341	1671	1743
June ...	1530	1668	1677	1988	1920	1616	1402	1350	1682	1739
July ...	1545	1671	1665	1988	1920	1684	1447	1354	1695	1739
August ...	1588	1673	1675	2006	1933	1835	1397	1378	1720	1748
September	1473	1673	1591	2015	1932	2092	1383	1378	1709	1750
October ...	1510	1673	1536	2005	1956	2040	1400	1378	1707	1753
November	1420	1675	1464	1988	1957	1958	1408	1378	1667	1750
December..	1433	1675	1465	1982	1959	1869	1428	1378	1663	1741

NOTE.—The actual prices of the various commodities are published in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales," and a description of the methods employed in constructing the index is published in the New South Wales Official Year Book for 1920, page 487. Index numbers for the years 1901 to 1921 were published on page 520 of the Official Year Book for 1921. Sales Tax is included wherever chargeable.

Area, 309,432 square miles (excluding 940 square miles of Federal Territory, 912 at Canberra and 28 at Jervis Bay).

† Year ended 30th June.

No. 61.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1881-1936—*continued.*

	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1931.	1936.
†Trade (Including Bullion and Specie)							
Imports, Oversea ... £Stg. 000	11,829	15,128	17,560	27,343	72,466	26,311	36,230
" " per head ... £	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/4	34/13/4	10/6/10	13/12/9
Exports, Oversea ... £A 000	9,754	14,621	18,211	32,161	52,602	31,865	47,532
" " per head ... £	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/3	25/3/3	12/10/6	17/17/10
Interstate Transfers—							
Inwards ... £000	5,758	10,256	9,368	•	•	•	•
Outwards ... £000	6,554	11,323	9,140	•	•	•	•
†Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea (See note).							
Wool (greasy, scoured, and wool tops, etc., — unconverted)							
1,000 lb. ... £000	81,907	235,471	217,286	297,829	180,782	353,277	344,391
" " " " " £000	4,108	7,670	7,420	11,980	12,822	14,126	22,108
Wheat and Flour** ... 1,000 bus. £000	22	55	5,205	14,325	24,727	39,756	34,204
" " " " " £000	5	12	681	2,519	11,191	5,066	5,970
Butter** ... 1,000 lb. £000	402	402	8,700	33,044	28,429	31,793	33,278
" " " " " £000	12	18	379	1,519	3,458	1,802	1,547
Frozen Mutton and Lamb** 1,000 lb. £000	•	•	39,370	59,949	21,472	36,709	48,952
" " " " " £000	•	•	382	682	681	625	1,241
Other Meats** ... £000	192	198	490	981	1,347	681	673
Tallow ... £000	244	293	363	871	615	282	263
Leather ... £000	130	131	347	324	524	235	315
Skins and Hides ... £000	130	376	431	1,145	1,912	1,448	2,496
Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold) ... £000	1,214	1,392	1,893	4,073	7,088	2,363	2,349
Timber, undressed ... £000	13	44	76	244	438	229	221
Total value of Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea. (See note) ... £000	8,153	11,215	13,268	27,491	48,303	30,347	44,640
†Public Finance.							
Revenue proper ... £000	6,551	9,773	10,612	13,882	34,031	42,760	46,519
" " per head ... £	8/11/3	8/11/2	7/15/6	8/9/6	16/5/7	16/16/1	17/10/3
Expenditure proper ... £000	626	10,216	9,992	14,471	34,477	51,450	48,213
" " per head ... £	7/7/1	8/18/11	7/6/5	8/16/8	16/9/10	20/4/4	18/3/0
" " General Loan ... £000	2,397	4,750	2,785	3,922	14,701	5,498	7,979
" " per head ... £	3/2/8	4/3/2	2/0/10	2/7/11	7/0/8	2/3/2	3/0/1
†Public Debt.							
Total ... £000	16,924	52,951	67,361	95,524	164,336	279,929	339,330
Per head ... £	21/12/10	45/11/3	49/7/1	57/8/11	78/2/5	109/11/6	127/6/1
†Trading Banks.							
Deposits ... £000	20,308	35,660	33,258	55,327	107,676	121,616	126,373
Advances ... £000	20,936	45,069	35,069	42,457	104,709	136,353	147,471
Assets ... £000	27,870	53,596	43,438	61,907	132,434	160,124	165,348
Liabilities ... £000	22,394	37,590	35,078	57,755	111,409	130,993	133,950
†Savings Banks.							
Accounts ... No.	72,384	158,426	306,311	544,023	1,126,157	1,744,488	*
Deposits ... £000	2,699	5,342	11,809	25,361	57,413	69,811	80,000
Average per account ... £	37/5/8	33/14/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	50/19/4	39/18/3	*
Average per inhabitant ... £	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/1/3	27/5/11	27/6/6	30/0/3
†State Railways.							
Line open ... miles	995	2,182	2,864	3,761	5,043	6,044	6,124
Capital cost ... £000	13,302	31,769	38,933	50,972	82,304	132,565	143,843
Passengers ... No. (1,000)	6,907	19,038	29,261	60,920	120,735	126,812	171,143
Net earnings ... £000	706	1,143	1,456	2,351	3,235	2,363	5,106
Net return on capital invested ... per cent.	5.30	3.59	3.78	4.67	4.01	1.80	3.58
†State Tramways.							
Line open ... miles	9½	43	79	190	227	200	189
Capital cost ... £000	169	1,004	2,194	5,122	9,061	8,436	9,006
Passengers ... No. (1,000)	7,090	68,051	93,704	230,276	337,690	266,347	303,767
Net Earnings ... £000	10	53	89	222	528	(-) 48	704
Net return on capital invested ... per cent.	6.16	5.32	4.06	4.53	5.93	...	7.81
†Postal.							
Offices ... No.	1,128	1,728	2,208	2,490	2,609	2,542	2,472
Letters and Post Cards ... No. (1,000)	26,534	68,987	82,783	189,656	262,026	302,767	329,648
" " per head ...	34.68	60.41	60.56	113.87	125.35	118.97	124.09
Newspapers ... No. (1,000)	16,528	42,517	52,318	71,619	63,261	65,848	71,678
" " per head ...	21.60	37.23	38.27	43.00	30.26	25.87	26.98
†Telegraphs and Telephones.							
Telegraph Stations ... No.	318	674	978	1,406	2,252	3,055	3,042
Telegrams and Cablegrams No. (1,000)	1,607	4,046	3,449	5,864	8,586	5,517	6,152
Telephone Line Connections ... No.	...	1,558	9,864	34,551	74,490	141,445	160,323
†Money Orders.							
Issued in New South Wales ... £000	772	1,578	1,637	2,819	5,830	7,493	7,643
Paid in New South Wales ... £000	675	1,519	1,670	2,949	5,897	7,472	7,677
State Education.							
Public Schools ... No.	1,406	2,461	2,818	3,125	3,216	3,240	3,452
Teachers ... No.	2,199	4,438	5,212	6,517	9,594	13,126	12,657
Scholars on roll ... No.	144,119	206,438	210,588	221,810	315,228	387,881	377,715
Average attendance ... No.	*	122,528	154,404	160,776	248,606	322,816	310,450
Expenditure by State ... £000	309	770	762	1,243	3,559	4,239	4,020

* Information not available.

** Includes Ships' Stores exported overseas.

† Year ended 30th June.

§ Figures for 1931 and 1936 exclude articles posted or messages telegraphed in other states of Australia and received in New South Wales. On this account the figures cannot be compared with those for earlier years.

Note—The exports in 1921, 1931 and 1936 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Commonwealth Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced.